SIKESTON, SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI



OUR 63RD YEAR

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1975

Picketing bill passes Senate

the difficult political decision of trade unions the power to shut down an entire construction site in a dispute with a single subcontractor.

The President at one time supported the measure but lately there have been reports he may have changed his mind because of protests from business groups and conservatives.

If he signs it, he faces the

would cost

SCOTT CITY-The City

Council Monday night heard a

report from Lonnie Clark of

Security Tank Co. in Memphis

about a used 100,000 gallon

water storage tank he said his

firm would deliver and install,

newly painted inside and out, at

a cost of \$59,000 if the city

provided the concrete foun-

Mayor James Cauble and

other members of the council

went to Memphis and inspected

Cauble said a water tank is

one of the most needed items in

the city, although no funds are

After further discussion of

funding, the council decided to

check with bonding companies

to see if money could be made

Clark was told the council

Cauble reported that after two

public hearings-held Dec. 4 and

9—an application was submitted

to the Department of Housing

and Urban Development for

\$400,000 in discretionary funds.

The funds, if approved, would

include \$250,000 to be used for

water and sewage, \$100,000 for a

community building, \$40,000 for

fire fighting services and \$10,000

The council also approved the

submitting of an application

through the Bootheel Regional

Planning Commission for

funding a first phase study for

the city's water and sewage

In further business, the ap-

pointment of Andy Schaefer as

the city's new building inspector

Cauble reported that a

meeting will be held in the city

hall at 2 p.m. Saturday between

representatives of Missouri

Utilities Co. from Cape Girar-

deau and the mayors of Benton,

Commerce, Kelso, Illmo and

Scott City regarding the closing

of the company's service station

He also said a letter and ap-

plication had been received

from the Law Enforcement

Assistance Council (LEAC) for

the hiring of another police

officer in the city for a period of

15 months, with the cost to the

city being \$783 and the balance

of the salary for the period being

The council approved sub-

mitting of the application and

also the acceptance by the chief

of police of applications to fill

School Fieldhouse. For sports

news, turn to ... pages 8 and 9.

would have this information by

Friday and that it would give

him a decision then.

for recreation.

treatment program.

was approved.

in Scott City.

paid by LEAC.

the position.

the tank last week.

available.

available.

\$59,000

WASHINGTON (AP) - Pres- wrath of those groups, inident Ford is confronted with cluding many potential supporters of former California Gov. whether to sign or veto a labor- Ronald Reagan, his rival for backed bill that would give the 1976 Republican presidential nomination.

> If he vetoes it, he will anger construction unions and the AFL-CIO which have been pushing for the measure for 25 years. This is the first time they have succeeded in getting it through Congress.

The Senate passed the compromise version of the bill on Monday, 52 to 43, completing congressional action on the

Both the House and Senate votes on the measure fell far short of the two-thirds that would be needed to override a

In order to avoid a possible pocket veto, in which the President lets the bill die by not signing it, the measure may not be sent to the White House until after Congress returns in January from its year-end re-

The bill, endorsed by every president since Harry S. Truman, would overturn a 1951 Supreme Court decision that determined that trade unions could only picket a subcontractor with whom they have a dispute.

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The unions have argued that under the 1951 ruling they do not have the same rights as industrial unions to try t shut down an entire enterprise when

Water tank Townsend named fire chief at New Madrid

NEW MADRID--The City Council Monday night appointed H.H. "Bud" Townsend Jr. chief of the volunteer fire department, succeeding L.H. Recker, who is retiring after more than 25 years of service.

Townsend will assume the duties as fire chief on Jan. 1. He has been a member of the department since 1949, except for three years of active duty with the Air Force during the Korean War.

Townsend praised the record of retiring Chief Recker and said, "I believe we have the finest group of volunteer firemen in the state"

Bob Libla was appointed civil defense coordinator to reactivate the civil defense program and to integrate the program with the auxiliary police force.

After a lengthy presentation for justification of a rate increase of \$2.13 per month by a representative of See-Mor Cable TV of Sikeston, the council took the proposal under advisement and will confer with the company's auditor and accountant before making a decision. Should the proposal be accepted, the rate will be increased from \$5 to \$7.13 per month.

The council agreed to a change in the liquor license ordinance which will allow one license for each 700 population or fraction thereof instead of the present one for each 1,000 or fraction thereof.

A resolution was passed for the record to show that the city had adopted a solid waste disposal ordinance and has a contract with New Madrid County Sanitation, Inc. for the disposal. Also discussed was possible free garbage service sometime in the future.

A public hearing was held prior to the council meeting for the purpose of determining priorities relating to application for funds for the 1976 fiscal year under the HUD Community Block Grant Program.

This was the second of two meetings required by HUD, and a preapplication which will include a request for \$105,315 for sanitary sewers in the Billy Goat Hill Section, \$85,748 for sanitary sewer improvement in the area north of Riley Street, \$77,786 for paving and storm drainage on North Kingshighway, \$12,694 for downtown sidewalk and curb improvements and \$10,950 for downtown parking.

H.H. "Bud" Townsend

City Administrator Don Lloyd advised that a request had been submitted to the Department of Housing and Urban Development for \$15,295 for funds to tear out the old swimming pool and to build a 40-foot pavilion on the

He also stated that park improvements recently made at the O'Bannon School site included installation of roofing and painting and paneling the interior of the building.

In his report to the council, Ambulance trips for indigents average \$20

administrator, and Charles Ancell, controller of Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston, reported to the Scott County Court Monday on the costs to the county of providing ambulance service for indigent

persons in the county. The reports showed Sikeston ambulances had made 802 trips, covering 25,945 miles in the 13 months of operation at a cost to the county of \$16,329, which averages about \$20 per trip, according to Jones.

Jones explained this mileage was for handling indigent persons throughout the county in emergency cases, transferring these persons to other hospitals

BENTON---Harold Jones, as far away as Memphis, Tenn., and St. Louis when services were not available locally and providing backup service for the North Scott County Ambulance Service.

> He said that when the hospital ambulance service was started for Scott and New Madrid counties it was projected that calls would be about 50 per cent for each county. However, he added, about 75 per cent of the calls handled by the ambulance service were from Scott County residents.

The County Court accepted the bill, which covered the period from September 1974 through September 1975. Ron Burger and Edward

annexation filed by the city of Cape Girardeau, asked what position the court is taking on the suit The men were informed that Scott County Prosecuting Attorney Jim Moore had been

instructed to check all legal avenues which could be taken in opposing the action. Burger and Blattel then told the court the name of the attorney representing their in-

north Scott Cunty named in a

declaratory judgment suit for

terests and asked if the prosecutor could collaborate with their representative.

The court agreed that this could be worked out.



Ann's Levi Barn opens

A ribbon-cutting ceremony Monday morning at Ann's Levi Barn, 400 N. Main St., marked the official opening of the new business, owned by Ann and Jack Miller of Dexter. Present for the ribbon- cutting, from left, are City Manager Charles Church, Mike Kilgore, Mayor Don Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Clem Beal, Lee Stallings, Bill Neel and Ruth Ann Northcutt. (Daily Standard photo)



Look, I'm a turtle

Senter's first grade physical education class this mor- Humphrey, 116 Broadway Ave. ning at Southeast Elementary School. He is the 6-year-

Jimmy Feverston pretends he is a turtle in Mrs. Kathy old son of James Feverston of Steelville and Mrs. Anita (Daily Standard photo)

Harris is new

conservation

agent in area

Robin Lee Harris

Robin Lee Harris of St. Louis

has been assigned as con-

servation agent for Scott,

Mississippi and New Madrid

He is one of 17 new agents who

have just finished a four-month

training course in Jefferson

City. Harris, who began his

duties today, lives at 209 W.

Center St. and may be contacted

Harris grew up south of Rolla

and has a bachelor of science

degree in biology from

Maryville College near St.

The Department of Con-

servation has also announced

that Jerry Eddy has been

transferred to Mississippi

Each of the three counties

Harris is serving already has an

assigned conservation agent,

and he explained that he will be

used wherever he is needed in

the tri-county area, with

primary responsibility in the

It's inside..

Mildred Baker is prsented the Paul Harris Fellow Award

by the Rotary Club. Turn to ...

Sikeston Bulldogs will host

the Fredericktown Black Cats

tonight at the Sikeston High

area of the Mississippi River.

County from Lincoln County.

Louis.

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at telephone number 471-5997.

4 hurt, 1 seriously

One person was seriously injured and three received minor injuries in five traffic accidents on area roads Saturday and Sunday, the highway patrol announced today.

The Missouri State Highway

Department is going to bill him

for a new bridge, plus the cost of

salvaging the old steel structure

The cost estimates start at

about \$100,000, according to a

spokesman at the highway

department's District 10 office.

He said it was standard policy to

try and collect the liability from

the insurance company in cases

from the river bed.

like this.

Rickie Grubbs, 19, of Bernie, a pedestrian, received minor injuries in an accident at 6:40 p.m. Sunday on Highway 53 seven miles north of Campbell. The patrol said Grubbs had

Driver to be billed for bridge

An Arkansas truck driver, The trucker, Bobby Haywood, 31, of McDougal, Ark., struck who narrowly escaped death last week when his truck hit and the 140-foot span last Tuesday collapsed the St. Francis River night causing both the bridge bridge on Highway 60 at Fisk, is and the truck to fall 40 feet to the

about to receive some more bad river below. Havwood was hospitalized for three days in Poplar Bluff with

cuts and bruises. He was spotted holding to a piece of the bridge and rescued a

short time after the accident. The highway department spokesmen said design work on the new bridge began the next

Work is presently underway to clear the old bridge from the

westbound car driven by Donald Ray Rutherford, 20, of Whitewater ran off the road on a

Rutherford was seriously injured, while Michael Elvin Killbreth, 16, of Chaffee Route Two received minor injuries. Both were taken to Chaffee General Hospital.

got out of a car on the side of the

road and was struck by a nor-

thbound station wagon driven by

Eugene Trimmer, 52, of

Grubbs was taken to Doctors

A Dexter woman received

minor injuries in a one-vehicle

accident at 12:40 a.m. Sunday

four miles east of Broseley on

The accident occurred when

Randal Lee Griffith, 23, of

Dexter lost control of an east-

bound car on a sharp curve and

His wife, Paula Griffith, 20,

was taken to Doctors Hospital in

Poplar Bluff for treatment of

A Whitewater man was

seriously injured in a one-

vehicle accident at 12:45 a.m.

Sunday on Route N two miles

The accident occurred when a

the vehicle ran off the road.

Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Paragould, Ark.

Route CC

minor injuries.

east of Leopold.



will operate the City Collector's said city personnel familiar with office until a replacement can be the operation of the office will found for City Collector C.W. help out until a new collector can Martin, who died Monday. be found.

Planning group to meet The Planning and Zoning South Main Street and Maple commission will meet at 7:30 Street from B two-family to

The agenda includes a

p.m. today in the City commercial and a request for a Administrative Building. plat approval for the second rezoning request for three lots addition of the Glen and Clara along Greer Street between Matthews Subdivision.

CB stolen from car

Collections continue

Existing city office personnel City Manager Charles Church

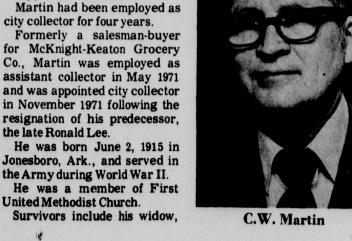
Jim Williams, Route Five, between 8 p.m. and 11 p.m. told police Monday that a Friday while the car was parked citizens band radio valued at at the Wagon Wheel tavern, 841

\$177 was taken from his car W. Malone Ave. Sikeston City Collector C.W. Martin dies

Sikeston City Collector C.W Martin, 60, of 863 Cambridge Drive died about 4:50 a.m. Monday at Missouri Delta Community Hospital following an apparent heart attack.

city collector for four years. Formerly a salesman-buyer for McKnight-Keaton Grocery Co., Martin was employed as assistant collector in May 1971

resignation of his predecessor, the late Ronald Lee. He was born June 2, 1915 in Jonesboro, Ark., and served in the Army during World War II. He was a member of First



Mrs. Lucille Copeland Martin; one daughter, Mrs. Tim (Kacky) Garner of Sikeston; his mother, Mrs. Ruby Cloyd of Sikeston; one brother, James N. Martin of North Little Rock. Ark.; one sister, Mrs. Lillian Harris of Carbondale, Ill.; and two grandchildren.

Services were conducted at 2 p.m. today in Welsh Funeral Home by Dr. Arthur C. Fulbright, pastor of First United Methodist Church.

Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Bill Whitlock, Hugh McCollum, Vernon Buck, John E. Harper, Bill Hailey and Maurice Stauffer.

Most Southeast Missouri attorneys and judges favor reforms in the state court system. Turn to ... page 12. Obituaries on pages 6 and 16.

Saturday; low in 20s and high

in 40s. Little or no chance for

HIGHS AND LOWS

.....and outside

precipitation.

Fair to partly cloudy and continued cold tonight and Wednesday. Winds tonight and Wednesday variable 4-8 m.p.h. Low tonight in mid 20s; high Wednesday in low 30s. Precipitation probabilities tonight and Wednesday 5 per

Fair and very cold Thursday

and Friday with lows in teens

and highs in upper 20s. Partly

cloudy and a little warmer

EXTENDED FORECAST

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Sunday were 65 and 52 degrees. For the period ending at 7 a.m. Monday, the high was 65, the low 44 and rain measured .50 inch. Extremes for the period ending at 7 a.m. today were 45 and 27, and .24 nch of rain was recorded.

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Tuesday, December 16 — Old King Cole calls for Phillip Morris.

POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Where do the road repair crews go the day after the votes are counted?

The hint of wood smoke drifting on the autumn air just might be your roof burning.

GRIM GRAIN OUTLOOK

At least for the next 10 years, the race between world food production and population growth looks favorable. Worldwide, food output is projected to grow at a rate of 2.7 per cent a year to 1985, while demand will grow by 2.4 per cent.

There are some kickers hidden in the figures, however. Demand is expected to grow by 1.5 per cent in the developed countries but more than twice as much -3.4per cent — in the developing nations. And whereas projected production growth will be 2.8 per cent in the developed countries, it will only be 2.6 per cent in the developing countries.

According to the U.N. Food and Agricultural Organization, by 1985 some 34 nations with a combined population of 700 million could have a cereal deficit of from 52 million to 85 million tons — worth \$10 billion to \$17 billion at current prices — and they would be unable to finance this quantity of imports.

In the face of these statistics, food prices in the next decade are likely to move up steadily, says Stephen C. Schmidt, professor of agricultural economics at the University of Illinois, spurred both by continuously growing global demand and rising energy and farm production costs.

Despite record grain crops in the United States this year, world grain stocks are now down to about 100 million tons, or about a 27- day supply, he notes. This is inadequate to provide a safe margin against major crop

But while widespread famine is not in the picture, barring a series of poor crop years, everything, says Schmidt, "points toward continued tightness in the supply and demand situation an highly volatile prices."

Sympathy is due a woman whose husband has stomach trouble: it closes the path to his heart.

MEMORABLE STITCH

Automation has finally come to an industry which has traditionally been one of the m ost labor- intensive and which has given an economic first leg up to countless immigrants.

A computerized sewing machine called the "Memory Stitcher" can execute a 75-stitch pattern, including belt loops, button holes and seams, in less time than it takes to thread a needle. Until now, each of these functions required a separate machine or a costly break in production to reset equipment.

Union Special Corp. of Chicago, developer of the new machine, plans to enlarge its memory to handle such tasks in the future as attaching sleeves to shirts.

Happily, the fact that the "Memory Stitcher" can be easily operated by unskilled labor will mean more rather than fewer job opportunities in the apparel industry, whose profits have been lagging at 2.5 per cent of sales. Better yet, says the industry, automated sewing will mean cheaper clothes for consumers.

A man was going through his pockets looking for an envelope with an address on it, and a friend bet him that he did not have a thing of value in any of his pockets. The friend won the bet.

NOT IN SWITZERLAND

Want to join an exclusive club? For as little as \$100, you can open a secret, numbered bank account in Switzerland — although your Swiss banker would probably discourage you from depositing such a small amount.

But anyone who thinks he can safely stash illegal money in Switzerland can forget it. Remember Clifford Irving, who deposited hundreds of thousands of dollars in a Swiss account as the fruit of his "biography" of Howard Hughes? Swiss banking practices functioned to jail him and his wife on charges of fraud as well as falsification of bank documents.

These are among the facts brought out in a new book, "Your Swiss Bank Book" by Robert Kinsman. Along with dispelling some of the more widely held misconceptions about Switzerland's famous banking secrecy, the book extolls the strong traditions of individual freedom that have been Swiss characteristics since the 13th century.

Almost daily we seem to read about charges of illegal spying on American citizens by the FBI or CIA. But even if you are just applying for a credit rating, more likely than not the decision will be based to some extent on information about your private life and personal finances which has been gathered without your knowledge, much less your permission.

It couldn't happen in Switzerland, says Kinsman. There, bank secrecy has been under the official protection of the penal code since 1934, when Gestapo agents were sent into Switzerland to ferret out suspected accounts held by Jews and other politically unpopular persons. It is, simply, against Swiss law for financial institutions to divulge any information regarding their customers.

A Swiss bank account isn't for everyone, to be sure. But according to Kinsman, the more of an economic and political mess the world gets into, the more it could use some of the Swiss measures protecting privacy and personal freedom.

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Overheard at the coffee table: The doctor said tranquilizers would save our marriage - one problem, how do we get your mother to take them?

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When a credit union for employees of Milwaukee's Mt. Sinai Hospital folded, members elected to merge withtheir kissin' cousins: the Butchers' Local Credit



DECEMBER 17 -

WEDNESDAY ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEATH OF THE LIBERATOR SIMON BOLIVAR. Dec 17. Died Commemorated in Venezuela and other Latin American nations.

PAN AMERICAN AVIATION DAY. Dec 17. Signer of the Declaration of Independence, member of congress, born, Brookhaven, Long Island, Dec 17, 1734. Died, Westernville, NY, Aug 4, 1821.

WRIGHT BROTHERS DAY. Dec 17. By Presidential proclamation. (Issued annually for Dec 17.) XXX

> 'ALICE' DAY STRIKES **UNEXPECTED CHORDS**

That nationwide strike by women was—at the risk of being accused of sexism- pretty much of a bust.

In fact, "Alice Doesn't Day," during which women were encouraged to withhold a variety of services in order to demonstrate their indispensable role in society, actually seems to have been more of an inspiration to counterfeminist reaction among women than the consciousness-raising event it was supposed to be.

Five female members of the Arizona state legislature, for example, condeming "the destructive and negative attitude of the women's libbers," urged women to continue "performing the jobs and responsibilities that we have freely chosen.'

Women in Newport, R.I., staged a "Male Appreciation Day." Wives served their husbands breakfast in bed and secretaries, girlfriends and even mothers-in-law treated men to dinners in restaurants.

The strike, of course, was intended to be more symbolic than real. It is doubtful if even its sponsor, the National Organization for Women, expected anything more than scattered, token support of the boycott.

But NOW may have accomplished more than it realizes, and have raised a lot of feminine consciousnesses in ways very different from what it had in mind.

As the antistrike activities suggest, the feminist leaders succeeded, at least for one day, in hardening the battle lines over the question of women's liberation—not between women and men but among women themselves. They succeeded in demonstrating that the feminist movement, in its more radical aspects, is totally out of touch with the real needs and desires of the majority of American

One can dismiss the arguments of those antifeminists who warn that the drive for sexual equality will remove women from the privileged pedestal on which men have traditionally placed them, just as one can dismiss the silly claim at the other extreme that there are no differences between men and women, except that the latter can bear children.

Most women today support the idea of equal rights, responsibilities and opportunities under the law regardless of sex. and whatever credit for this belongs to the feminist should movement acknowledged. But at the same time they realize that there are, always have been and always will be fundamental physical, emotional and socially

beneficial differences between the sexes

Rather than being rivals and competitiors with men, as the radical feminists seem to want them to be, most women consider themselves partners with men. They believe that the sexes are two complementary halves of one greater whole, and that it is in union of male and female in the fullest meaning of the word that both sexes find the richest and most satisfying expression of their individual identities.

As author George Gilder has

pointed out, the most important function of the female throughout history has been that of a civilizing influence on the male. The knowledge that they are providing security and material benefits for their wives and children is what keeps many men going in jobs that are not all that exciting and fulfilling in what used to be called the "man's world," just as the homemaker's job is often boring, harrying and unappreciated. The threat posed by the

feminist movement to this historic function of women, with the long-range consequences for society it entails, may explain much of the growing counter reaction among women, whether or not all of them consciously perceive such a threat and put it in so many

The feminist movement is hardly dead, of course. It would

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GOVERNMENT POLICY ATFAULT

Natural gas producers were States. According to the AGA.

early victims of incentive-killing government price regulation which made eventual shortage absolutely certain. In order to develop a clear picture of the natural gas situation, the American Gas Association (AGA) has published figures showing potential supplies and what can be done to start them flowing once again into the main energy stream of the United

geologists believe there is still more than 800 trillion cubic feet of potential gas waiting to be discovered in the lower 48 states. At least 231 trillion cubic

never have come into being if there were not some very real sexual injustices that need to be corrected. But as "Alice Doesn't Day" seems to have proved the basic commonsense of the American woman will keep it from going too far.

Always be content with what you have but never with what

What we have done for ourselves alone, dies with us; what

we have done for others and the world, remains and is immortal.-Albert Pike XXX

Women have it made. Have you evern see a busload of old widowers touring Europe?

sweet cake. It usually is layered with fillings or piled high with whipped cream.

feet of this total lies off the

Pacific, Gulf and Atlantic coasts. When these potential

supplies are added to known,

proved natural gas reserves of

235 trillion cubic feet, there are

realistic prospects for serving

the country's needs at current

consumption rates for over 50

years--and this is just in the

lower 48 states. The AGA points

out that the problem of getting

this gas is threefold. First, the

wellhead price of natural gas

must provide sufficient in-

centive to make it worthwhile

for producers to invest the

millions of dollars necessary to

explore for new gas. Second,

producers must be assured that

once they have signed a contract

for sale of gas, the price agreed

upon will not be unilaterally

rolled back by federal gover-

promising new areas, and these

are mainly in the ocean areas off

our shores now controlled by the

Obviously, it is largely the

since 1956. Such is the true

picture that stands as a grim

backdrop to most of our energy

SHORT SERMONS FOR

YOUNG MEN

large degree on personality. William Barrett Millard, late

clergyman and writer, at one

Keep your conscience clean;

Let your light shine, and shine

Press your advantages, your

Brush the cobwebs from your

Beware of a reputation for bad

breath or rancid jokes. Both

Covet a golden tongue more

Don't mix your metaphors,

You can't put fire in your work

Two things cannot be

It is better to establish a good

It is better to lose a good fight

precedent that to follow a bad

unless there is fire in your heart

imitated: God's sunset and

but at the same time be a good

opportunities, and your trousers

brain and the dandruff from

Success in life depends to a

federal government.

troubles today.

particular:

also linen.

your shoes

your collar.

alike offend.

mixer.

than a greenback.

man's insincerity.

that to win a bad one.

every morning.

When a person complains that his photograph doesn't do him justice, perhaps what he really wants is not justice, but mercy.

XXX WHEN AN OLD MAN GETS TO THINKING

When an old man gets to thinking of the years he's traveled

through, He hears again the laughter of the little ones he knew. He isn't counting money,

and he isn't planning schemes: He's at home with friendly

nment decisions. Third, producers must be able to exin the shadow of his dreams. plore for gas in the most

> and his sun is in the west, When he's tasted all life's

When he's lived through all life's

failure of public policies with and he knows which ones are regard to energy that have more than cut in half the number of oil Then his mind is stored with and gas wells drilled in the U.S.

pleasures

riches, not of silver and of gold, But of happy smiling faces and the joys he couldn't hold.

Age will tell you that the memory is the treasure-house of man. Gold and fleeting fame may

but life's riches never can For the little home of laughter

time wrote some terse rules for and the voice of every friend young ministers, from which are And the joys of real contentment deduced the following points, linger with us to the end. pertinent to young men in Edgar A. Guest XXX Pray every night and shave

"HE DESERVES OBLIVION" I would as soon listen to the mouthings of Charles Manson as would those of Richard Nixon on what is wrong with this country. Although I am a Republican, I was convinced Nixon was finished when he lost to Kennedy, and never voted for

him thereafter. Now this Uriah Heep-type character appears to be attempting to worm his way into the confidence of those weak enough to be swayed by the insincere smile and the platudinous moralizing. The man must be unconscionable.

After the denouement, the tragedy becomes boring if the author does not end it quickly. May Richard Nixon be relegated quickly to the oblivion he so richly deserves.

Donald F. Holmgren Kansas City Star XXX

Science Foundation has funded, the fact remains that it has squandered millions of dollars on study projects that even to the most scientific-minded virtually defy understanding. Here are some NSF beauts that should make the blood of

every taxpayer boil; -\$84,000 to study why people fall in love.

--\$81,000 to study the social behavior of the Alaskan brown

XXX Torte is French for a rich.

students to think up inventions for personal profit. what conditions rats, monkeys

and humans bite and clench their jaws.

passionate love.

Other projects funded by NSF include a \$135,000 study to find out whether chimpanzees can be taught to talk; \$55,200 to study two communities in Nepal; a \$66,000 study of the social attitudes and modes of adaption of the Korean minority in Japan.

-\$15,000 to study hitchhiking.

--\$25,000 to study primate

--\$112,000 to examine the

-\$260,000 to study what is

-\$1.2 million for college

--\$174,000 to determine under

African climate during the last

There is a need for research to cure the afflicted and to make the world cleaner, safer and healthier place to live. But certainly every area of inquiry financed by the taxpayer must first meet at least two fundamental tests: Is such research of top-priority importance to human welfare? And can it be financed through

the private sector? Perhaps, in some areas of scientific endeavor, these are tough questions to answer. But these and similar NSF research projects clearly do not meet the test of need and should be ended. NSF's Social Science research projects this fiscal year alone will total some \$49.5 million.

COMMERCIAL APPEAL By RAY CROW Dear One TV Commercial that

I like in all the bunch: I wish you'd let the others Your nice Hawaiian punch! Commercial Appeal

CAUGHT NAPPING By RAY CROW We're glad to see the press

All pressure it can keep on For airing out Ft. Pillow, which Officials went to sleep on!

Commercial Appeal XXX Lawyer, reading will, to "Sorry, assembled family: there was no fortune in your

uncle's safe-deposit box. He was

growing muchrooms in it." Dale McFeatters XXX

WHAT'S HAPPENING TO PEOPLE?

First it was the Soils & Crop annual conference, cancelled because of lack of interest. Next it was the Jaycees, who

say that unless they can get For all the worthwhile active participation by parents, research and study the National they may have to discontinue operation of the summer recreation program because of lack of manpower.

Other projects in the area have lagged, or have been abandoned because of no or little What is happening to the

people of Monroe County, known for so many years for their willingness to support and work for worthy projects? Paris Appeal

Washington Merry-Go-Round By Jack Anderson

Richardson: Agnew's Savior

with Les Whitten Vice WASHINGTON President Spiro Agnew was saved from jail in 1973, according to suppressed papers in the case, by Attorney General Elliot Richardson.

The unpublished papers describe the delicate, dramatic plea bargaining that led to Agnew's historic resignation as Vice President. On Oct. 7, 1973, Richardson

met with the Baltimore federal prosecutors, headed by U. S. Attorney George Beall. Richardson was joined for the secret Sunday session by his deputy, William Ruckelshaus, and the chief of the criminal divison, Henry Petersen.

The eager, young prosecutors from Baltimore came to the meeting determined to put Agnew in prison, even if it meant a long, divisive trial. But Richardson cautioned that a drawn- out trial would not be in the public interest. With President Nixon already

mired in the Watergate scandal, impeachment proceedings against his successor could cause a constitutional crisis. Richardson contended. There was every reason to believe, he suggested, that Agnew would hang on to his office and force the Senate to impeach him before he could be put on trial.

It would be better for the nation, Richardson concluded, if a deal could be arranged that would induce Agnew to step down from his high office. By the end of the meeting, Beall and his associates had come around to Richardson's view Next day, the opposing parties

sat down in an Alexandria, Va., motel with federal judge Walter Hoffman. The negotiations were tense, sometimes acrimonious. Agnew's attorneys offered to

enter a plea of nolo contendere to tax evasion but wanted to avoid requiring AAgnew to guilt. Judge Hoffman admit

responded sternly that nolo contendere was the same as a guilty plea

The attorneys then made a strong pitch to keep Agnew out of jail. Henry Petersen, speaking for the Justice Department, said prosecutors would leave the sentence up to the court. The maximum possible sentence: five years in prison and a \$10,000

The judge refused to indicate, in the absence of a government recommendation, what sentence he would impose. Although some progress was made, the meeting broke up without an agreement.

The following day, October 9, the negotiations were resumed at the Justice Department, with Richardson himself in attendance.

Again, Agnew's lawyers declared they wouldn't let their client cop a plea without assurance he would not go to jail. As the talks wore on, it became clear that a settlement would depend on whether the Attorney General would recommend against imprisonment and whether the judge would agree.

According to a rough, partial transcript, the two men sparred like a pair of 17th century diplomats. Richardson tried delicately to avoid any recommendation. But finally he said: "We would be prepared to make a recommendation...' Judge Hoffman quickly seized

upon the opening, saysing: "It would be helpful because of the great national interest involved. Richardson then put the best possible face on it. "In light of what you have said and the extraordinary national in-

terest," he said, the government

would recommend "no im-

With a sigh, the judge rejaindered with words that made clear Spiro Agnew would not hav to go to prison. "The recommendation of the Attorney

prisonment."

General has impressed me."

said the judge The rest is history. As the secret negotiations had determined in advance, Agnew resigned on October 10 as Vice President and entered a plea of nolo contendere. Richardson recommended no prison sentence, and the judge concurred. Agnew got off with only a \$10,000

A year earlier, Agnew had agreed to run for a second term as Vice President, with the understanding that he would seek the presidency in 1976. The Watergate developments would have made him President in 1974 if he had not accepted petty bribes from Maryland contractors and failed to report them on his tax returns.

WASHINGTON WHIRL: In an earlier column, we accused Alex Armendaris, the government's irrespressible minority business booster, of mismanaging the taxpayers' money. We reported that he had taken subordinates on junkets, had helped friends get government contracts and had accepted gifts from the White House contractors. sources now tell us that Armendaris will be eased out as director of the Office of Minority Business Enterprise. Armendaris told us he knew of no specific plans to replace him.

-- Last April, we reported that the U.S. Mint sent 16 experimental aluminum pennies to Capitol Hill for inspection, only to have them mysteriously vanish. Now we have discovered that Mint officials stamped out more than 65,000 of the curiosities during 1974 in violation of orders from Mint Director Mary While records on the 65,000

aluminum pennies appear loosely kept, Ms. Brooks insists that except for those pilfered by Members of Congress she can account for them "down to the last penny." The stolen pennies one day may be worth \$100,000 each.

'THAT'S SHOW BIZ'

WASHINGTON — There is so much bad news in the papers lately that when a bit of good news happens, we'll all grab it like a bobbing life preserver.

Last week the news that

seemed to warm everyone's heart was that CBS News had been conned out of \$10,000 by a man who claimed to know where Jimmy Hoffa was (in a cement coffin 20 feet below the surface of the water off Key West, Fla). CBS could have survived the financial loss without much

difficulty, except that The New York Times got hold of the story and gave a detailed account as to how the network was taken. This embarrassed CBS no end because until then they hadn't considered the fact that being euchred out of \$10,000 by a con man was a newsworthy event. That evening after the network belatedly admitted it had

been taken for a ride (to Key West of all places), a group of us were discussing why it gave us so much pleasure to read and hear about CBS' misfortune. Each person in the room had

his own ideas as to what really happened. This was mine.

Mike Wallace, Morley Safer and Dan Rather of the 60 Minutes show are all dressed up in skin-diving suits and diving helmets ready to go over the side of the "SS Tipster," which CBS has chartered to locate the most sought after missing person in America.

Pacing the dock nervously are Don Hewitt, the producer of the show and Richard Salant, president of CBS News. Salant speaks to them.

"Gentlemen, today you are going to make history. Through the miracle of electronic journalism we are going to raise Jimmy Hoffa from the depths of the waters off Key West. I have a map here which I bought from an old Cuban sailor in the bar, which shows the exact location of Hoffa's cement coffin. The sailor swore to me that the map

Art Buchwald has been in his family for six generations. He sold it to me for

> the exact spot where the cross on the map is. Good luck and Godspeed. Wallace, Safer and Rather are lowered into the water with a cameraman. Hewitt is manning the telephone. In 10 minutes Wallace announces he's on the

bottom. "Do you see the cof-

\$10,000, which as you know is a

steal. We are now anchored in

nothing down her e but an old Spanish galleon loaded with gold coins and ingots of silver." "Damn, we'll move a little north," Hewitt says. "Rather,

that looks like a coffin, but it's metal, not cement. I'll open it . .

"There's something here

"Is it Hoffa?" Hewitt asks excitedly

emeralds and pearls. Should I bring them up?' "Of course not. We have to find Hoffa Safer, where are

looks like the treasure room of some sort of a pirate ship.'

"Wait, I'm standing on one." Salant grabs the telephone. 'Is it Hoffa?"

It says 'Judge Crater slept "That does it," says Salant in disgust. "We were taken by a

be the laughing stock of show business. What are we going to

"No," says Wallace. "There's

fin?" Hewitt yells.

do you see anything?

"No, it's just a bunch of old! Aztec masks and Inca statues covered with diamonds,

you?" Hewitt is shouting. "I'm about 30 feet from what

"Do you see any cement coffins?'

"There's some writing on the coffin. I think I can make it out.

dirty old con man. Everybody come up. Hewitt cries, "How could someone do this to CBS? We'll

do for our show next Sunday?" Salant says sheepishly. "Why don't we rerun the Haldeman

Daily record

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY Census Report: Dec. 16, 1975

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Gainer Betty Obermark, Brookport, III. Robin Scheible, Bell City William Thomas Pearce, 28, of Essex and Pamela Jean Mays, 20, of Bernie were married Oct. 24, at Bernie by the Rev. Ron Henson.
David Wayne Gasser, 21, of
Dudley and Charlinda Joyce
Bartch, 17, of Fisk were married Dorothy Seabaugh, Cape Nov. 1 at Overland by the Rev.

John M. Carney John Wayne Stratton, 19, of Broseley and Arlene Denice Williamson, 16, of Poplar Bluiff were married Oct. 20 at Broseley by the Rev. Gene Langhafer. Tollie Franklin Howard, 17, and Beverly Sue Jackson, 16, of

Advance were married Oct. 4 at Advance by the Rev. Billy D. Albert Curtis Manning, 30, and Sonia Kay Montgomery, 19, of Morehouse were married Nov. 5 at

Morehouse by the Rev. A. C. Sullivant. Mrs. Kenneth Sallman and son, Dale Dwain Isaac, 35, of Puxico and Flora Coralet Wallace, 16, of Cottage Hills, III. were married Nov. 7 at Zalma by the Rev. R. L. Dobbs.

Leonard Dean Frymire, 18, of Bloomfield and Beverly Sue Belcher, 16,of Dexter were married Nov. 7 at Dexter by the Rev. Noel E. Mills.
Terry Wayne Bollinger, 23, and

Connie Jo Freeman, 20, of Dexter were married Nov. 8 at Malden by the Rev. James H. Hamlitt. Henry Floyd McCulley, 59, of Bell City and Rose Zella Houston, 6 at Bell City by the Rev. Louis A. George Nick Gianacakos, 48, and

Pansy Marie Thompson, 45, of Riverside, III., were married Nov. 10 at Circle City by the Rev. John Hunsaker. Arnold Roger Kevitt, 35, of

Dexter and Vicky Lynn West, 23, of Bloomfield were married Nov. 15 at Southwest Church of Christ by Ronnie D. McLillie.

William H. Brown, 67, of Advance and Mattie Pearlene Massey, 57, of Zalma were married Nov. 14 at Zalma by the Rev. L. A. Hobbs. Henry James Holaway, 66, and Wanda Lee Ezell, 31, of Naylor were married Nov. 15 at Harviell

by the Rev. Johnny St. Cin. Ronald Gene Cannady, 30, and Carol Ann Freeman, 22, of Parma were married Nov. 17 at New Madrid by Magistrate John R. Bailey. Harold Allen Jackson, 29, of

Puxico and Olive Pauline Wells, 17, of Zalma were married Nov. 16 Kinder Chapel Chruch by the Rev. Ryoy King.

Marion M. Whitsel, 44, and
Ronnie L. Raymer, 37, of Dexter
were married Nov. 15 at Dexter by

the Rev. Richard J. Caraker. Samuel David Gilmore, 19, and Shela Jean Kirkpatrick, 17, of Bernie were married Nov. 8 at Bernie by the Rev. Howard

Fred Eugene Gross, 33, of Bell

City and Melba Mae Mayberry, 27, of Bloomfield were married Nov. 15 at Bell City by the Rev. Louis Gardner. David Wayne Seyer, 25, and

Linda Faye Durham, 18, of Dexter were married Nov. 21 at Dexter by the Rev. Joseph E. Gosche.

James E. Trammell, 25, and Sharon Louise Wilburn, 20, of Dexter were married Nov. 21 at Circle City by the Rev. John

Roy James Wren, 64, of Los Angeles, Calif. and Doris Ardath Hill, 51, of Dexter were married 21 at Dexter by he Rev

Dennis Niunn.

Robert Michael Edwards, 20, of Essex and Susan Melinda Bennett, at Essex by the Rev. George Hill. Carlos Gene Deprow Sr., 31, of Tallapoosa and Ingrid Doris Porter, 28, of Dexter were married Nov. 22 at Tallapoosa by the Rev. Lester T. Harris.

EMERGENCY PATIENTS Accidents patients treated and released Saturday, Sunday and Monday in the emergency room of Missouri Delta Community

Sikeston, bruised first and second toes; James Ivie, 18, Matthews, burned eye; Dorcus Benthal, 2, Oran, swallowed glue; Danny Baehr, 22, Lilbourn, cut right index finger; Jeffrey Wallace, 15, Vanduser, fractured right Arista Randal, 86, Sikeston bruised right hip in fall; Marilyn Patterson, 33, Sikeston, puncture wound to right index finger; George Sweet, 49, New Madrid, cut right thumb; Eric Thacker, Portageville, cut tongue in fall; Martin Williams, 13, Sikeston, cut hand; Forthy Hathorne, 62, Charleston, fractured left forearm Irvin Robinson, 12, Sikeston, sprained left ankle in fall; Lloyd Miller, 59, Parma, dislocated right elbow in fall; and Danny Bonds, 22, Portageville, injured hand.

Sunday -- Mary Oliver, 61, Charleston, cut righ palm; Ron Watson, 29, Sikeston, second degree thermal burns to legs; Todd Marshall, 14, East Prairie, sprained back in car accident; Michael Waddle, 23, Sikeston, bruised right hand at work; Charles Sissom, 4, Sikeston, cut head; Leonard Meyers III, 3, Sikeston, cut in fall; Curtis Cureton, 31, Sikeston, bruised left finger; Ronald Hankins, 18. scratched left foreign object in eye; Suzie Salcedo, 69, Painton, bruised scalp in fall; Dana Copeland, 9, Matthews, sprained right wrist in fall; C. W. Richey, 63, Sikeston, cut left ear, injured head on car door. Margie Tate, 38, Sikeston, injured in fall; and Craig Chapman, 2, Sikeston, cut in fall.

Monday -- Marshall Johnson, 35, Sikeston, fractured elbow in fall; Willie Thompson, 75, Sikeston, no apparent injuries in car accident; James Ford, 31, Caruthersville, bruised finger; Jeffery Arnold, 4,

Sikeston, cut eyelid. Minnie Miller, 49, East Prairie, low back sprain; Ray Brooks, 38, Sikeston, fractured ribs in fall; Nell Owens, 43, Sikeston, cut thumb; Lisa Snider, 16, Sikeston, cut side of head in fall; Jimmy 15, Sikeston, infected toes; Angela Abner, 15. East

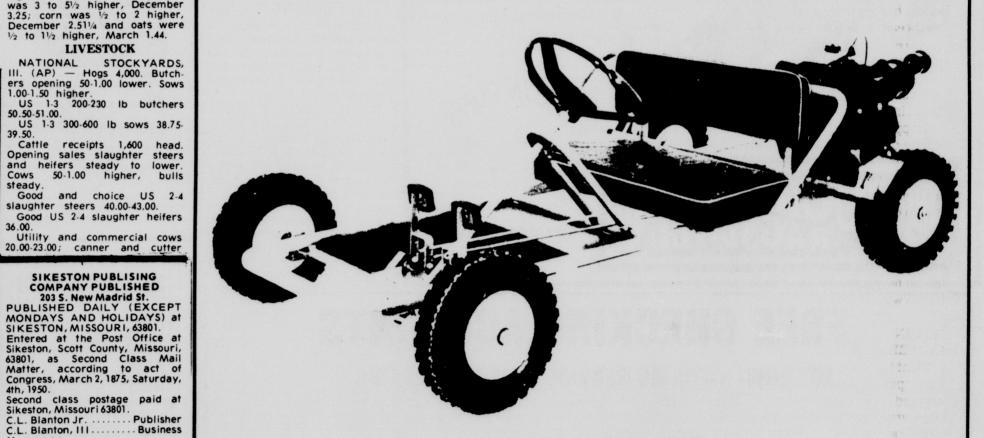
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Symington, Eagleton vote listed

WASHINGTON (AP) - The four senators from Kansas and Missouri voted with the majority Monday night when the Senate passed a bill extending this year's temporary tax cuts for

another six months.

Joining in the 73-19 majority were Republicans Bob Dole and James Pearson of Kansas and Democrats Thomas Eagleton and Stuart Symington of Mis-





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Receives award

Mildred Baker, center, 602 E. Wakefield, receives a Paul Harris Fellow medallion from Rotary District Governor Elmo Blum at the annual Rotary Club Christmas party Monday at Two Tony's Smorgasbord. Her husband, William, left, who received a similar award in 1974, watches the presentation.

Loud speakers, curfew discussed in Dexter

He said he had received complaints that young drivers had been playing loud music over public address systems in

The city has an ordinance limiting the use of such systems to the hours between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. and can only be used to publicize a church or civic ac-

The council approved an amendment to the ordinance, which forbids the playing of loud music over such systems. Teeters also said there was a

problem by having a 10:30 p.m. curfew and allowing pool halls to remain open until midnight.

curfew to midnight and reduced the age from 18 to 16. The council also decided to

service, trees must be brought NEW YORK (AP) - An Ital ian bakery here created a record-size bun for the gigantic hamburger featured at the Sa-

Festival Season. The bun measured 4 by feet, weighed 250 pounds and it took five men to lift it. The "innards," supplied by a theatrical

and there was enough hamburger to feed 3,000 hamburger lovers. The hamburger was 320 oounds heavier than the preto the lot on Big Star parking lot, now being used by United Methodist men to sell Christmas

On the recommendation of Alderman Doren Vancil, the council approved a night dipository for the City Hall at a

Paul Harris Fellow award. Harris founded Rotary International in 1907. The foundation money is used for the student exchange program and for graduate

> Music for the Monday program was presented by the Sikeston High School Modern Chorale, under the direction of Gordon Beaver. Ed Ring, club president, said over 100 persons attended the meeting.

school scholarships for studies

in foreign countries

Mildred Baker

2nd state woman

to receive award

Mrs. Mildred Baker, 602 E.

Wakefield, Monday became the

second woman in the state of

Missouri to receive a Paul Harris Fellow medallion. Her

husband, William, received the

The Bakers are the first two

The medallion was presented to Mrs. Baker at the annual Sikeston Rotary Club Christmas

Party Monday afternoon at Two

Tony's Smorgasbord by Rotary

District Governor Elmo Blum of

Baker had previously contributed \$1,000 in Mrs. Baker's

name to the Rotary Inter-

national Foundation. Each year the Sikeston Rotary Club con-

tributes to the foundation. Each contribution is credited to the

club and when it accumulates

\$1,000, the club is allowed to name another recipient for the

recipients of the award from the

award in 1974.

Festus.

Sikeston Rotary Club.

President Woodrow Wilson was a regular golfer, he used to play in the snow with golf balls painted red.

Roll call listed on tax cut

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sens. Stuart Symington and Thomas Eagleton, D-Mo., voted with the majority Monday as the Senate voted to send the construction

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The vote approving the bill



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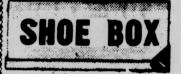
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their cars.

The council changed the

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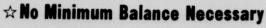
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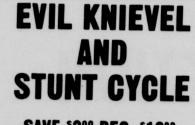
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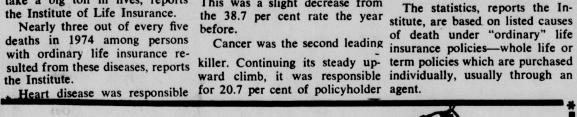
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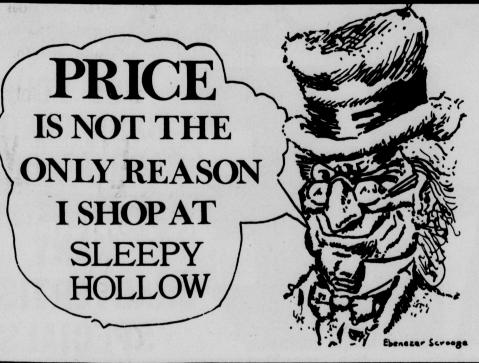
Heart disease leading killer

Heart disease and cancer still for 38.6 per cent of the deaths. deaths last year. Nearly three out of every five before. deaths in 1974 among persons with ordinary life insurance re-

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Ann Landers

Reader depressed, miserable over her toothpick thin legs

Dear Ann Landers: Please help me. I am depressed and miserable. I don't want to see anybody or do anything. The problem is my legs. They are so thin they look like toothpicks. I feel as if I've been cursed.

Whenever I'm with my boyfriend and a woman with good- looking legs walks by, I want to kill her. I know this sounds extreme, but I'm being honest with you.

A girl who works in the same department with me has very heavy legs, but I'd trade mine for hers any day. When I told her this she said I was nuts. Am I...

Can anything be done to add weight to a person's legs. Would certain exercises help. Thanks for your advice, Ann. -Despondent

Dear D.: Very little can be done about legs that are too thin. Have you thought about pansuits for both daytime and nighttime wear. (I'm assuming the rest of you is thin, also)

If you are still depressed about your legs when you read this letter, I hope you will visit a rehabilitation institute or the wing of a hospital that cares for

patients with spinal cord injuries.After you see a dozen people in wheelchairs (young and old) who would give anything in the world if they could walk again, you'll thank God for any pair of legs that can get you where you want to go.

Dear Ann Landers: I have this friend who drives me straight up the wall because she has a mouth that runs on a trolley. She is never short of wind and refuses to let anyone else say a

It's talk talk, blab blab, nonsense, trivia, gossip, ya ta ta ta. "Me... mine... I did this.. . I said that . . . I think . . . I

bought . . . I saw," Honestly, Ann, I can't bear to listen to her insufferable yakking another minute. Whenever I'm with her for an hour I get a terrific headache.

How can I shut off the egomaniac without coming right out and telling her I don't want to listen to her any more... Ready To Explode

Dear Ready: Is the woman handcuffed to your wrist. . Why must you be in her presence if she's such a bore. Part of the problem is YOU. The inability to loose from an irritating, problem - producing person means there's trouble on both

sides. Look into it, Lady. Dear Ann Landers: My mother is always entering a contest and she never wins anything. This has been going on for as long as I can remember.

Mom has spent a lot of time (and money) on her entries. They look great to me. Can it be that most of the contests are phony.. If so, how do the big national brand companies get away with it.

We'd appreciate if if you'd look into this. - Too Many Disappointments

Dear T.M.D.: Most welladvertised contests are on the level. Somebody wins. But too often the winners are "professional" contest people who make a career of it. They know all the ropes.

Your mother should read the rules carefully before she in-

Events goin' on

Sikeston Extension Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Fred Steward, 1009 N. Kingshighway, for a Christmas

FRIDAY

A Christmas dinner for members of the Oddfellows and Rebeccas organizations has been scheduled at 7 p.m. at the IOOF hall, 126 N. Kingshighway. Families of members are invited and gifts will be ex-



\$5 million approved for conference WASHINGTON (AP) - The

House, approving plans for a "National Women's Conference" to assess the place of women in society, has authorized \$5 million to be spent on the project.

By a 252 to 162 vote, the House authorized the money for a series of state and regional meetings next year leading up to a national conference. The Senate is expected to take the

bill up shortly.
Rep. Bella Abzug, D-N.Y., praised the men who spoke up for the bill and who argued it was time for women to meet to "evaluate where American women are at, where they want to go and how to get there.'

Conservatives had opposed the bill on grounds that the conferences would provide a forum for lobbyists for the Equal Rights Amendment, which bans discrimination on the basis of sex. Four more states must ratify the ERA before it becomes part of the Constitution.

The sponsors apparently surprised the opponents of the measure by accepting an amendment to prohibit lobbying by conference participants.

Rep. Henry Hyde, R-Ill., an opponent of the plan, said the conferences would polarize women. He said if data is needed on the specific problems of women, as some advocates had argued, then state status of women commissions should be able to get it.

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vests any more time and money.

Some contests are not valid in

certain states. Moreover, your

mom may not qualify on other

grounds. The small print is

frequently ignored by the eager

beavers. I hope your letter alerts other consistent losers.

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Deaths

William H. Chism

ZION, Ill. - William Hansel Chism, 55, formerly of Sikeston, Mo., died Saturday at his home. He was born April 25, 1920 at

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Rosie Cantrell Chism: three sons, Johnny Chism of El Toro, Calif., Troy Chism of Zion and Darrell Chism of Columbus, Ohio; one daughter, Burma Chism of the home; his mother, Mable Chism of Sikeston, Mo.; five brothers, Cecil Chism of Evansville, Ind.; Joe Chism, serving in the Maritime Service, Odell Chism of Pontiac, Mich., W. A. Chism of St. Louis and Gene Chism of Memphis; three sisters, Mrs. Helen Foster of Florrissant, Mo., Mrs. Margaret Dinkens of St. Ann, Mo., and Mrs. Lizellia Schnider of Alton, Ill.; and three granddaughters.

Friends may call after 6 p.m. today at Welsh Funeral Home. Services are scheduled at 2

p.m. Wednesday in Calvary Assembly Church at Sikeston with the Rev. T. A. McDonough, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery at Sikeston.

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Sylvia Hubbert

Sylvia R. Hubbert, 57, of Route Four died at 10:25 p.m. Sunday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Born Feb. 20, 1918 in Fayette County, Ala., she had been employed by Faultless Cleaners for 23 years.

On Oct. 22, 1938, she married Eulas C. Hubbert, who survives. Other survivors include one son, Ruben C. Hubbert of Sikeston; two daughters, Mary Lee Nelson of Sikeston and Margaret M. St. Mary of Morley; one brother, Andrew J. Tidwell of Glen Allen, Ala.; two sisters, Mrs. Sara Jane Tidwell of Glen Allen and Mrs. Flaudie M. Campbell of Anthony, Fla.; and 10 grandchildren.

Friends may call at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel, where services are scheduled at 1 p.m. Wednesday with Thurman Hubbert of Fayette, Ala., and Wade Bedwell, minister of the Morehouse Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Darrell Wilson, Farrell Wilson, Ronnie Burch, Bob Porter, Tex and Windy Blackman.

B. J. Gregory

ST. LOUIS — Billy Joe Gregory, 43, formerly of Dexter, died Monday in St. Louis.

Born Nov. 28, 1932 in Dexter, son of the late Harvey and Mamie Sybree Gregory, he had lived in Flint, Mich., for 20 years before moving to St. Louis two years ago.

Survivors include three daughters, Roxanna, Linda and Barbara Gregory of Flint; one son, Billy Joe Gregory Jr. of Flint; two brothers, Clarence Gregory of Lombard, Ill., and Harold Gregory of Dexter; and nine sisters, Olivia Keller of Lombard, Jean Brown of Pekin, Ill., Joann Buckley of Mendota. Ill., Pansy Ezell of Ft. Leonard Wood, Faye Hill and Barbara Buckley of St. Louis, Ola Estes of Bernie, Rachael Treadway of Chaffee and Velma Petrey of Campbell.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at Watkins & Sons Funeral Hom in Dexter, where services are scheduled at 1 p.m. Wednesday. The Rev. Harold Mills of Malden will officiate.

Burial will follow in Bethany Cemetery near Bernie.

Daisy Knight

PARMA - Daisy B. Knight. 70, died about 5 a.m. Monday of an apparent heart attack at the home of friends, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyte Butler of Route One. She had been ill since October.

Born July 29, 1905 near Essex, she had lived in Parma most of her life.

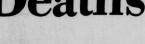
In 1925, she married Winiford Cleatus Knight, who died June 20, 1966.

She was a retired bookkeeper for Ramsey Hardware Co. in Parma and former owner of Knight's Guest Home at Venture, Calif. She was a member of Order of the Eastern Star and the Presbyterian Church in Parma.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Donald Perry of Bloomfield Route One, and three grandchildren, Donn Kae Perry and Ricky S. Perry of Bloomfield and Mrs. Van Pounds

of Cape Girardeau. Friends may call at Chiles-Cooper Funeral Home in Bloomfield, where services are scheduled at 1 p.m. Wednesday. The Revs. Thomas N. Bass, pastor of Hunter Memorial First Presbyterian Church at Sikeston, and Berlan Harper, pastor of the Parma General

Baptist Church, will officiate.
Burial will be in Liberty Cemetery near Bloomfield.



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Public installation ceremonies will begin at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 27 in the Masonic Temple, 320 S. Kingshighway.

Chart shows comparison of tax plan

WASHINGTON (AP) - Congresssional tax staff experts provided this comparison showing what the House-passed 1976 individual income tax reduction plan would mean to some typical taxpayers with normal de-

ductions of 17 per cent.

The bill makes permanent the 1975 temporary law's hikes in minimum and maximum standard deductions, taken by those who do not itemize on

Note that the House-passed bill does not include a continuation of two temporary features of the individual 1975 tax cut law. These features, due to expire Dec. 31, are special tax credits and new payments for low-income persons with children, and a special tax credit for buyers of new homes.

The table hows anticipated tax liability for various income brackets under the old 1974 law, the temporary 1975 law

Income	'74law'	75law'	76plan
\$ 3,000	\$ 138	\$ 63	\$ 63
5,000	491	404	381
6,000	681	594	551
8,000	1,087	1,007	924
10,000	1,482	1,452	1,331
12,500	1,996	1,966	1,804
15,000	2,549	2,519	2,315
17,500	3,145	3,115	2,905
20,000	3,784	3,754	3,544
25,000	5,230	5,200	4,990
30,000	6,850	6,820	6,610
35,000	8,625	8,595	8,385
40,000	10,515	10,485	10,275
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5,000	322	170	170
6,000	484	326	326
8,000	837	674	642
10,000	1,152	1,054	982
12,500	1,573	1,513	1,395
15,000	2,029	1,969	1,810
17,500	2,516	2,456	2,276
20,000	3,035	2,975	2,795
25,000	4,170	4,110	3,930
30,000	5,468	5,408	5,228
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"We had high hopes for this year," says coach Tony Sander,

"So far its been disappointing." But, as the newspapers and promotion people always say, the record is deceiving. Good opposition has stymied Fredricktown. SEMO conference member Perryville edged the Cats by six in the season opener. Then they played super- team Flat River Central closely before falling, 72-57. Leadwood was a one- point victor in the season's third game. And, Potosi, a perennial

The loss to Potosi and a recent 72-54 disappointment against

DEERING — Armorel, Ark.

won their 14th game in a row

Monday night with a 78-63

victory over Delta C-7. The

Arkansas team is undefeated so

far this season after finishing

second in the state's Class B

EAST PRAIRIE - Por-

tageville and East Prairie

recorded first-round victories

Monday night and advanced to

Thursday evening's finals of the

four-team East Prairie Invitational Tournament.

Portageville survived a

second-half comeback by

Pemiscot County and held on for

a 59-53 victory. The Bulldogs led

29-18 at the half, but let the

Rams shave five points off the

lead in the second half. Terry Durden fired in 18 points and

Davie Ellington added 16 for Portageville, while Jerry Parker also had 16 for Pemiscot

The host East Prairie team

outscored Caruthersville 32-27 in

the second half to claim a 63-58

victory over the Tigers.

Caruthersville had scored 20

points in the second quarter to

tie the game at the half at 31-all. City Chiefs.

Armorel hald an eight-point had 16 each for Delta C-7.

division last season.

cessful by five, 66-61.

lead- belt winner, was suc-

Bismarck are the only defeats that truly bother Coach Sander. "We played well until those games," he says, "The kids

have really hustled. Fredricktown is led by the scoring tandem of forwards Mike Stevens and Tim Huffman. Stevens, a stocky six-footer, is marking up about 15 points per contest. Huffman, at 6-1, is close behind at thirteen.

The biggest problem the Bulldogs pose for coach Sander and his Cats is size. A three inch perman height advantage on the frontline seems to indicate that Sikeston will continue to dominate the boards. But, will

C-7 falls to Armorel

halftime lead, but then blew the

Chargers out in the third period.

Their 20-6 advantage in that frame gave them a 22-point

Blossom led Armorel with 23

points, while Ward and Riley

Eagles and Portageville

Grady Williford scored 19 for

Pemiscot County and

Caruthersville meet for third

place at 6:30 Thursday night,

followed by the championship game between Portageville and

EAST PRAIRIE (63) Johnson 13, Griffin 4, Steve Careter 16, Wiliford 19, Bradley 10. Totals: FG-24; FT-15; PF-18. CARUTHERSVILLE (58)

Knox 6, Johnson 6, Tyes 14, Spencer 4, Burkhart 8, Garrett

CLEVELAND (AP) - The

Cleveland Browns said Monday

X rays showed that Greg Pruitt

had a cracked rib Sunday when

he scooted for 214 yards in the

Browns' 40-14 National Football

League victory over the Kansas

Browns' Greg Pruitt hurt

East Prairie, while Don Tyes

had 14 for Caruthersville.

East Prairie at 8:00.

win tourney openers

they? Or will the talent-laden team continue to just barely tap their potential, and try to coast to their fifth win in a row? If they do, the Fredricktown Black Cats wll be ready.

Sikeston has an important geme with undefeated Kennett Friday night. Between the two schools, they possess half of the district's undefeated teams. There are only four left. Sikeston coach Buddy Spears must smile when he thinks of all the good things his team is capable of. Or does he frown? Flashes of SHS potential were shown during an emotional win over Charleston. The crisp

ARMOREL, ARK. (78)

Lewis 12, Johnson 6, Boossom 23, Mathis 4, Stringer 6, Johnson 14 Manning 11, Fisher 2. Totals: FG-30; FT-18; PF-18.

DELTA, C-7 (63)

Mead 14, Ward 16, Starts 2, Rose
10, Riley 16, Tidwell 2, Woods 3.
Totals: FG-26; FT-11; PF-25.
Score by Quarters:
Armoprel 27 13 20 18-78
Delta C-7 19 13 6 25-63

Smith 20. Totals: FG-24; FT-10; PF-16.

PORTAGEVILLE (59)
Terry Durden 18, Ray 13, David
Ellington 16, Bruner 4, Drake 2,
Johnson 6. Totals: FG-25; FT-9;
PF-24.

PEMISCOT COUNTY (53)
Henry Cummings 15, Jerry
Parker 16, Miller 5, Nelson 6, Rowe

7, Shaver 4. Totals: FG-22; FT-9;

Score by Quarters:

Pruitt said he thought it was

just a bruise when he was hurt

throwing a block for Reggie

He said the ribs started to

hurt then, but "I was caught up

in the game and forgot about

Rucker in the second quarter.

Score by Quarters: 11 20 10 17--58 irie 14 17 12 20--63

passing, awesome board power . it was all there at times, during an exciting, if inconsistent, game. A concentrated 32 minutes of such putput could result in a super game. A continuance of numerous turnovers, and lately, poor defense, will result in a shocking upset some day. People from Fredricktown, like coach Tony Sander, would love for that to happen Tuesday night in the Fieldhouse.

HT 6-5 Marc Eaves Alonzo Harris 11 Harold Dockins 5-10 Ed Nunnelee FREDERICKTOWN (0-5) HT YR Scott Bennett 6-3 Mike Stevens Tim Huffman 6-1 **Terry Tidwell** 5-10

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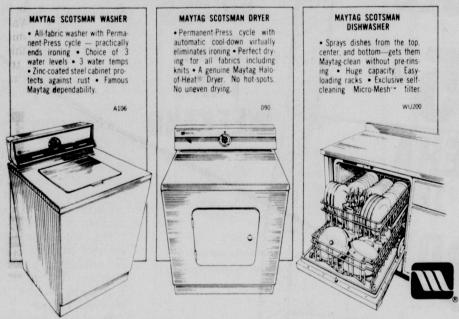
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I am really impressed! We had someone else pick up the big four this week. Marilyn ChatCongratulations! On top of that Jane Manley bowled a 254 which was high for the week and it also paid her a \$25.00 bonus for having a game in league play over 250. Rosalie Snider had the high series of the week with a

> **TUESDAY MORNING** HOUSEWIVES

Jean Lee had the high series with a 530 and Pat Carlstrom and the other 500 series with a 505. Team scores: Moore's Ace Hardware 2- A & B Leasing 2. Coleman's BBQ 2-Grecian Steak House 2, J Jays Fashions 4- 1st National Bank 0, El Capri 4-House of Carpet 0, Garden Lane Nursery 3-OFMCO 1, Sikeston Motor Co. 4- McMullin Const. Co. 0, Bank of Sikeston 4-Harts Fabricks 0, Security National Bank 2-Holiday Inn 2. Splits-Rita Baker 8-9, Sue Gordon 5-8-10. Pat Jackovic 3-10, 2-7, Marlene Kruger 5-6, Carolyn Burns 3-7-10, Linad Norton 7-9, Sally Ahlvin 5-6, Pat Shell 3-10, Linda Keen 3-10, Sue Cooper 2-7, Barbara Turnbo 3-10 (twice), Calera Parks 2-7, Jo Tyrone 5-10.

DELTA IMPERIALETTES THIS WAS Jane's night as she had the high game with a 254 and high series with a 552. Other 500 series and 200 games were Pat Crabb 540, Jean Lee 533, Carol Mercer 506, Linda Gipson 519-200. Willie Burrow 505-205, Marie Lester 517, Kathy Etienne 527-225, Carol Towe 207, and Nora Springs 208-my first! Team scores - Harts 3-Barketts 1, Prudential 4- Eagles 0, Docks 1- Imperial Rest. 3, Quandrant Homes 1-Marks 3, Peoples Bank 1-Frances 3, Sambos 2- Dyes 2. High team game went to Frances with a 1070 and high team series went to Harts with a 2995. Splits- Anice Baker 3-10, Linda Littleton 3-10, 4-5-7, Billie Garner 3-8, Linda Gipson 3-7, Willie Burrow 2-5-7, Jean Lee 2-7 Charlotte McMikle 3-10, 2-7, Ann Tidwell 3-7-10, Debbie Boardman 5-10, Betty Hughes 4-7-9, Inez Binford 3-10, Debbie Lomax 2-7, Julia Fansler 5-6, Rhonda Barnett 4-5.

ROYAL KEGLERS THIS was Marily Chatmans

night! Rosalie Snider had her high series of the week Wednesday night with the 558 and Alice Patterson had the high game of the night with a 213. Other 500 series and 200 games-Pat Crabb 504, Lil Acord 534-200, Pearl Moore 507, Jean Lee 512, Alice Patterson 551, Linda Gipson 510, Marilyn Chatman 514, Nelda 200, Betty Hughes 203, Rosalie Snider 200, and Judy Sullivan 207. High team game and series went to Busch with a 3038 and 1067. Team scores -Ziegenhorn 4-Scott-Huff 0, CWA

4-J. C. Penneys 0, Busch 4-

man did it on Wednesday night. Holyfield 0. Brewers 4- Ruc Collins 0, Ryan 2-D & S 2, 1st National 2-Red Kirby's 2, and Chas. Todd 3-Bank of Sikeston 1. Splits- Lucy Miller 3-10, Pat Bridger 4-5, Sandy Buchanan 2-7, 3-10, Jean Lee 2-7, Barbara Eakin 5-10, Paula McClain 5-7, Karen Ramsey 5-7, Artie Satterfield 5-7, Sally Ahlvin 3-10, Pat Mays 2-7, Linda Gipson 5-6, 3-10, Rosalie Snider 4-5, Marilyn Chatman 4-7-6-10 (big four), Mildred Cochrell 3-10, and Carolyn Deplane 3-10. There a 4 or 5 women who bowl in the men's late league Wednesday night who do quite well and since they had a big night last Wednesday I am including their scores from that league -- Jean Lee 220-549, Linda Gipson 543,

> FRIDAY BOWLETTES Carol Mercer had the high series with a 523 and Ella Segers the high game with a 211. Other 500 series and 200 games were Deveda Hamra 510, Sue Wheetley 203, Anna Lou Fodge 200, and Carol Mercer 206. Team scores Nat. Lock No. 13- Mercer Auto 1, Nat. Lock No. 22- Alfred Werber 2, Sikeston IGA 2-Medalist 2, Bills Small Engine 3-Sloans Auto 1, Alcorn Real Estate 0-Scott's S&S 4, Bank of Sikeston 3- Salon of Beauty 1. Splits-Maggie Deuster 5-6-10. Jackie Hubbert 4-5, Carol Mercer 3-10, Flo Hood 5-4-7, Darlene Ownes 4-5, Brenda Green 3-6-10-7-8, Carolyn Smoot 5-8-10 Ella Segers 3-10, Hilda McClung 5-10, Cheryl Perry 5-10, Sherry Cowger 5-10. High team game went to Sikston IGA with a 1042 and high teamn series to Scott's S & C. with a 2955.

> > Til next Tuesday!

Pat Crabb 535, Pat Mays 532 and

Willie Burrow 210-535.

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Panel's picks

Bill Harrison was the champion of our prediction game after last Friday night's big basketball schedule. Mr. Basketball called 18 of 20 games correctly, missing only on the Malden-Neelyville and Hayti-Armorel, Ark. contests. Dale Forbis was 17-20, and crew chief Charlie Francis brought up the rear with 16-20.

The panel has agreed on the outcomes of most of tonights games, with a few exceptions. Charlie took a lonely road by choosing Cape Central over Notre Dame and Puxico over Scott Central. Dale says that Twin Rivers will beat Bloomfield, and Bill is confident that Woodland will knock off Jackson.

A total of 19 ballgames are on tonight's schedule, including some interesting matchups that the panel agreed on. In our humble opinions, Lilbourn will avenge a Sikeston Invitational Tournament loss by downing Poplar Bluff. And Sikeston and Kennett will tune up for their big Northern Division showdown Friday night by recording convincing victories tonight.

Teams	Dale	Charlie	Bill
Poplar Bluff at Lilbourn	Lil	Lil	Lil
Advance at Matthews	Adv	Adv	Adv
Notre Dame at Cape Central	ND	Cen	ND
Puxico at Scott Central	SC	Pux	SC
Fredericktown at Sikeston	Sikes	Sikes	Sikes
Senath at Caruthersville	SH	SH	SH
I-SC at Oak Ridge	I-SC	I-SC	I-SC
Kelly at Oran	Kel	Kel	Kel
Zalma at Meadow Heights	MH	MH	MH
Perryville at Valle	PV	PV	PV
Dexter at Malden	Dex	Dex	Dex
N. Pemiscot at Gideon	NP	NP	NP
Delta C-7 at East Prairie	C-7	C-7	C-7
Twin Rivers at Bloomfield	TR	Blm	Blm
Hayti at Kennett	Ken	Ken	Ken
Holcomb at Clarkton	Clrk	Clrk	Clrk
Bernie at Campbell	Bern	Bern	Bern
S. Pemiscot at Miss Co Ark	SP	SP	SP
Woodland at Jackson	Jack	Jack	Wood

World mixed doubles set

DALLAS (AP) — The third annual World Mixed Doubles, the richest mixed doubles ten-

TG&Y KINGSWAY PLAZA MALL WE CUT KEYS **WE SELL LIVE PLANTS** nis championship in the world, will take place Jan. 1-5 at the Moody Coliseum, it was announced today by John Gardner, tournament director and tennis coach at SMU.

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PRE-HOLIDAY SALE

Hoosiers strengthen No. 1 hold

By The Associated Press Unbeaten Indiana, which avenged its only loss of last season by beating Kentucky 77-68 in overtime Monday night at Louisville, barely missed being a unanimous choice for the top spot in this week's Associated

Press college basketball poll. The Hoosiers were rated No. 1 by all but one of the 60 sports writers and broadcasters who participated in this week's poll, based on games played through Sunday Dec. 14. The only other first-place vote went to Marquette, and Indiana was rated second on that ballot.

That gave the Hoosiers, 3-0 through the period of the voting, 1,198 of a possible 1,200 points and first place by a wide margin over Maryland, 5-0, which garnered 1,016 points. Marquette, 3-0, was next with 882 points and North Carolina, 4-0, was fourth with 718.

Those four retained the positions they held last week, but the No. 5 spot went to Notre Dame, which climbed three notches after battling Indiana down to the wire before losing 63-60 last Thursday. Notre Dame, which also had a 72-64 victory over Kansas and a 103-73 rout of St. Francis, Pa., last

week, collected 644 points. UCLA, 2-1 and idle last week, dropped one spot to sixth with 565 points. Cincinnati, 6-0 after beating Biscayne and Bowling Green last week, climbed two rungs to seventh with 478 points.

Alabama, 4-0, moved up from 11th to eighth with 421 points; North Carolina State, 4-0, jumped from 13th to ninth with 264 points, and Louisville, 3-1, fell from sixth to 10th with 255 points after a 78-76 loss to De-

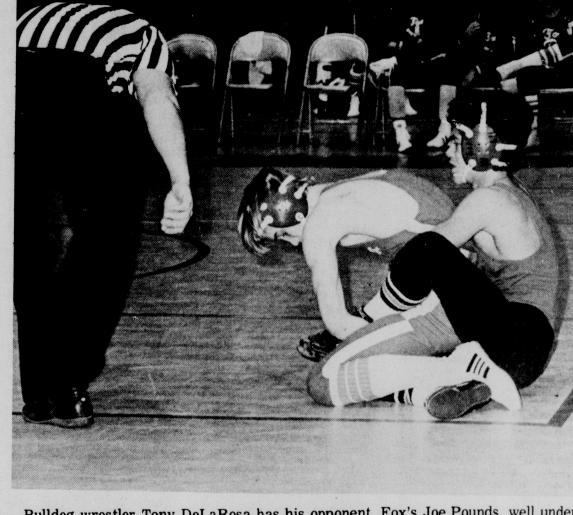
Tennessee, 4-1, seventh last week, dropped down to 11th with 245 points after losing to St. John's, N.Y., 79-70 last week. The Vols were followed by Washington, 5-0, 188 points: Nevada-Las Vegas, 5-0, 187; San Francisco, 5-1, 165; Rutgers, 6-0, 131; Michigan, 3-1, 124; Auburn, 3-0, 94; St. John's, 6-0, 89; Arizona State, 5-0, 87, and Kentucky, 2-2, 44.

The only newcomers to the Top Twenty were Rutgers and St. John's, replacing Arizona and Missouri on the list.

High scoring Croom hurt

CLEVELAND (AP) — Cleveland State University officials said Monday basketball scoring leader Larry Croom has been lost to the team for a minimum of two or three games with "strained knee ligaments and possible cartilage damage."

School officials said he is expected to be ready to play against St. Francis, Pa., here



Bulldog wrestler Tony DeLaRosa has his opponent, Fox's Joe Pounds, well under control during their match Saturday afternoon at the fieldhouse. DeLaRosa defeated Pounds 7-2, but Fox of Arnold won the match 30-15. (Daily Standard photo)

SHS wrestlers pin Dexter Bearcats 57-5

Sikeston High School's wrestling Bulldogs turned in by far their most impressive performance of the season Monday night at the fieldhouse as they routed Dexter 57-5.

Only little Dan McClintock was able to win for the Bearcats, who gave Jackson a big scare last week. After McClintock won the opening 98-pound match over Joe Blanton, the Bulldogs made a clean sweep of the remaining action.

Sikeston put on an impressive performance in the upper weight classes, especially in the final three matches. Don Hankins, who has had trouble making weight and has had to wrestle heavyweight for coach John Heacox, settled back into his customary 167-pound spot and responded by pinning Dexter's Mike Reese in the first period. Then, 185-pounder David Overbey and heavyweight Bob Grant turned the same trick, racking up opening period pins.

The Bulldog junior varsity had a little more trouble, but defeated Dexter 33-21.

A pair of St. Louis schools. Roosevelt and Cleveland, invade the fieldhouse Saturday afternoon at 1:00 for the Sikeston quad tournament. Also in that tournament will be Poplar Bluff.

Factory Jobs Some 19 million people now hold U.S. manufacturing jobs. Behind every manufacturing employe is an average capital investment of more than \$31,-580, according to The Conference Board. Investment is highest in the oil industry - which averages \$203,000 for each worker.

VARSITY

Sikeston 57, Dexter 5 98-Dan McClintock (D) defeated Joe Blanton (S) 15-0. 105-Steve Markum (S) defeated Tony Alsup 14-0. 112-Kent Hotchkiss (S) pinned Mark Hopkins in 2nd period.

119--Harold Myrick (S) defeated Rob Land 8-0. 126-Tony DeLaRosa (S) pinned Jim Gibson (D) in 3rd period. 132--Scott Hutchison (S) pinned Wayne Hiett (D) in 2nd period. 138-Tony Taylor (S) defeated Scott Keirsey (D) 12-2. 145-Gaylon Couch (S) defeated Dan Malloy (D) 15-2.

155-Mark Silverthron (S) defeated Ken Dement (D) 11-4 167--Don Hankins (S) pinned Mike Reese (D) in 1st period. 185-David Overbey (S) pinned Mickey Huey (D) in 1st period. HW-Bob Grant (S) pinned Terry Griffey (D) in 1st period. JUNIOR VARSITY

Sikeston 33, Dexter 21 98--Ken Bader (D) pinned Mark Shell (S) in 2nd period.

105--Tony Roper (D) won by forfeit. 112-Jeff Schwabb (S) pinned Benny Kennedy (D) in 2nd period. 119--Kevin Nowell (S) pinned Roger Alsup (D) in 1st period. 126-Tom Medelberg (S) defeated Jackie Putney (D) 6-3. 132--Mark DeWitt (S) defeated Dean Henry (D) 9-1.

138-Russell Murphy (S) defeated Mike McCullough (D) 13-6. 145--Randy Lovins (D) defeated Allen Oliver (S) 5-3. 155-David Johnson (D) pinned Doug Eilders (S) in 2nd period. 167--Linzy Lambert (S) pinned Phil Wray (D) in 1st period. 185-Randy Myers (S) won by forfeit.

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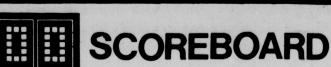
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East Prairie Invitational Tournament East Prairie 63, Caruthersville 58 Portageville 59, Pemiscot County 53 Regular Schedule Armorel, Ark. 78, Delta C-7 63

TUESDAY NIGHT'S SCHEDULE Basketball

Poplar Bluff at Lilbourn Advance at Matthews Notre Dame at Cape Central Puxico at Scott Central Fredericktown at Sikeston Senath-Hornersville at Caruthersville I-SC at Oak Ridge Kelly at Oran Zalma at Meadow Heights Perryville at Valle Dexter at Malden North Pemiscot at Gideon Delta C-7 at East Prairie Twin Rivers at Bloomfield Hayti at Kennett Holcomb at Clarkton Bernie at Campbell South Pemiscot at Miss. Co. Ark. Woodland at Jackson

Navy coach honored

By The Associated Press NEW YORK (AP) - Navy's George Welsh has been named Eastern major college Coach of the Year by the Football Writers Association of New

Welsh, who led Navy to a 7-4

Ancient Suburbia

Suburban living is not a modern development. Archaeologists in Italy have uncovered Oplonti, a community about 10 miles north of ancient Pompeii that was strictly residential, without market places or forums. The residents are believed to have been wealthy Pompeiians and Roman patricians on vacation. Eruptions from Vesuvius in 19 A.D. buried this Roman version of affluent suburbia.

record and its first winning season since 1967, will receive the Joseph M. Sheehan Memorial Award at the writers' annual Coach of the Year reception Feb. 2, 1976.

Navy's 1975 season included one-point losses to Washington and Georgia Tech, which probably cost the Midshipmen a bowl bid. However, the seven victories were the most for Navy since 1963.

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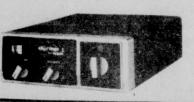
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50 Years Ago December 16, 1925

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last Friday. Oran - Uncle Joe Patterson was in Chaffee on business Monday

Matthews - J. W. Emory returned last week from a business trip to St. Louis. Canalou - F. A. Briston of

Campbell was here Monday on business.

40 Years Ago December 16, 1935

.The new Lotus Cafe will be opened Thursday, J. H. Crumb of Lebanon, the restaurant's manager, has announced. It will be housed in the rooms formerly occupied by Sheppard's Cafe.

William O. Heath died of cancer Friday at Missouri Baptist Hospital in St. Louis, where he had been a patient for a week. He was 22 years old. Until he became seriously ill, he was employed by the Potashnick Truck Service.

Without difficulty, the Sikeston Bulldogs defeated a Fredericktown High quintet in Fredericktown Friday. The score was 19 to 7 High scorers for Sikeston were Davis with six points, McCord with five; and Holmes with four.

Dear Santa: I am a little girl eight years old. I go to school every day, and church on Sunday. My sister, Mary Lorenzo said my report card was very good. Santa Claus. I would like for you to bring bring me a doll and a little trunk with some clothes for my doll. I would like a set of dishes also. Please bring my brother,

Cornelius a football and a story book. Bring my little sister a pretty doll and some clothes too. and Santa Claus, please don't forget my Mama. Your little friends, Anna Marie Beaher, 225 Center Street.

30 Years Ago

December 16, 1945 At Mass at the Immaculate Conception Church in New Madrid Wednesday, funeral services were held for June F. St. Mary, 71-year- old lifetime resident, who died at his home in New Madrid, early Monday after having been in ill health for a year and a half.

Miss Natalie Lindsey of Springfield, has accepted a position as clinic nurse with the State Department of Health. District No. 2, Sikeston. She succeeds Mrs. Nadine Blue, who was recently transferred to a state hospital at Waynesville

The Morehouse High School basketball team defeated the Sikeston Bulldogs 27 to 22 in an 'A'' game played at Morehouse Tuesday. The Bulldogs "B" team beat the Morehouse second stringers 26 to 24.

High School notes. The juniors completed election of officers Tuesday. Dick Dement was elected vice president and Ardeth Kirby, secretary. Bill Halter was elected president at a special meeting last week.

Farrenburg - Miss Loettia Hoppe is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Farrenburg, this week.

20 Years Ago December 16, 1955 Mr. and Mrs. James Russell

Long, Route 1, are parents of a

What's the law?

The case of the big-hearted buyer

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B. Oscar was married to a nag but, as it developed, it was Oscar who lacked the horsesense. Yielding to his wife's persistent insistance that they buy a house, he wrote a letter to Mr. Hoople in which he offered deal. And, fella, that's what I'm to buy the latter's home for doing." rather a generous price.

Hoople that be all but stumbled through with the sale. mail Oscar an immediate acceptance. Before Oscar received it, however, he reviewed his offer and he too became overwhelmed by his generosity. So much so that he frantically telephoned Mr. Hoople and attempted to withdraw it.

"Sorry, Mac." resonded Mr. Hoople, "but it's too late for thata. I already mailed you my

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acceptance. And, don't think I don't appreciate your bighearted naure."

"Big- hearted my foot," retorted Oscar, "Since I didn't receive your acceptance yet, I've got a right to call off the

Not one to let a fish off the It was so generous, in fact, hook, Mr. Hoople took Oscar to that it so overwhelmed Mr. court to compel him to go

> IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit big- hearted Oscar to back out of his generous offer?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that an offer can be canceled at any time before it is accepted. However, he concluded, it is generally deemed accepted when the acceptance is mailed and not when it is received. Based upon a 1963 Florida District Court of Appeals Decision.



Retired teachers to meet

The SeMo Unit of the Retired Teachers Association met Thursday at the El Capri

Miss Electa G. Hana was elected chairman of the Memorial Committee. The Rev. Paul Walker spoke

to the group on the topic, "God is Guitar music and singing was

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Drivers license examinations will not be given

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Safety first for Christmas trees in home

A son was born to Mr. and For centuries Christmas trees have contributed to the joy of the Yuletide season. Each year, however, there are those to whom the Christmas tree brings instead a tragic loss of life and property, says David E. Baker, University of Missouri Columbia extension safety specialist.

It's a baby boy for Mr. and Mrs. John W. Allen, 730 Mat-The first step in prevention of a fire hazard, Baker Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Frey of Sikeston are parents of a son believes, is to select a fresh born Tuesday at St. Francis

"The ideal method is to The Bulldogs opened their cut your own tree," he says, regular season's play last night "but since most people seby dumping the East Prairie lect from trees that are al-Eagles 46 to 36 in the B game ready cut and transported Selected for the Missouri some distance, you will need to try to determine visually Sports writers Association All State High School football team the freshness of the tree. of 1955 was Sikeston's

"The branches on a fresh tree should be springy, and when you vigorously shake the tree there should be no needle drop."



her home here

Dr. Lamb Smoking can cause ulcers

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

baby girl born Wednesday at the

Mrs. Stafford Frey of Sikeston

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Bowen of

Maiden are parents of a son born Tuesday at Southeast Missouri

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lee

McKinley of Bertrand are

parents of a baby boy born

thews, Sikestonn born Tuesday.

at St. Francis Hospital in Cape.

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and 69 to 40 in the A game.

diminutive center. Ron Car-

Parma - Mrs. Lula Mae

Clevenger, 61, died Tuesday at

DEAR DR. LAMB - My fiance has ulcers and kidney problems and is a heavy smoker. I'd like your comments on how smoking can affect these health problems. DEAR READER - According to the U.S. Public Health Service there are one million more cases of peptic ulcer in

would be if no one smoked. Cigarette smoking seems to limit the body's mechanism of neutralizing the acid digestive juice as it is emptied out of the stomach into the duodenum, the first part of the small intestine where most ulcers occur.

the United States than there

There is not much information on tobacco and kidney disease, other than to say that some forms of kidney disease are associated with high blood pressure, and the combination increases the chances of heart attacks even at a relatively young age.

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York, NY 10019. With the cost of health insurance premiums and the increased support for medical costs by the government, all of us are paying for the health problems that the smoker has. In short, we pay for his unwillingness to stop a bad habit. We help pay for his lung cancer, the coronary care unit he needs more frequently, and

yes, even his peptic ulcer. It seems only fair that if non-smokers are going to pay

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for other people's unhealthy habits that they should have something to say about it.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I am a

16-year-old girl and have a constant habit of cracking my knuckles every few minutes. I also crack my back every morning, also my neck, wrists, ankles and toes. It doesn't bother me, but it does my friends. Some say I'll get arthritis and big knuckles. Could you please tell me what harm it does to crack my knuckles, if any? And, if so, could you also tell me how to stop it?

DEAR READER Friends, parents, and grandparents have used the threat of developing arthritis and big knuckles for years to express their hostility toward the knuckle cracker's annoying habit. Now it seems this threat is all bark and no bite. Knuckle crackers don't develop arthrities.

Dr. Robert L. Swezey of the University of California at Los Angeles Center for Health Sciences and his 13-year-old son put this often repeated threat to the test.

It seems that young Stuart Swezey, like you, enjoys popping all over the place, and his grandmother, like your friends, found it rather annoying. So, the hex was brought forth.

Dr. Swezey and his son studied both young knuckle crackers (average age 11) and old knuckle crackers from a home for the elderly. They also studied non-crackers of the same age. The results failed to show any significant difference in joint disease in the crackers and the noncrackers, in either age group. The injury then is in the listener's perception, or a kind of mental torture, and the only damage the cracker sustains is the results of whatever physical violence the listener is driven to commit upon the knuckle cracker's person.

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Williams and Eldon W. Edwards
of East Prairie, public intoxication, \$28 each; Michael 15. Carney of Sikeston, speeding, \$15.

Carney of Sikeston, speeding, \$15.
Paying delinquent parking
ticket fines were: O. J. Sitzes of
Charleston, \$3; Mrs. Marshall
Feezor of Charleston, \$4; Ronnie
Myracle of Sikeston, \$6; Cathy
Bright of Matthews, \$4; and
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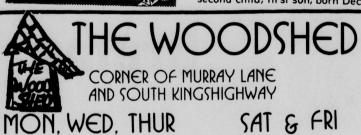
in Cape Girardeau. The boy weighed seven pounds eight ounces and has been named Jason Mrs. Renaud is the former Dot J.
Moreton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Lloyd Moreton of Wyatt. Renaud
farms in the Charleston area, and

is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Renaud of Charleston. HUFF...Mr. and Mrs. Rick Huff of Benton are parents of their first child, a daughter born Dec. 10 at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. The girl weighed seven pounds six ounces and has

been named Denetra Ann.

Mrs. Huff is the former Mary Ellen Claycomb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Claycomb of Charleston. Huff, who is employed by Ludlow Corp., of Cape Girar-deau, is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Dale Huff of Benton.

CANTRELL---Mr. and Kenneth E. Cantrell of Girardeau are parents of their second child, first son, born Dec. 9



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at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. The boy weighed six pounds 11 ounces and has been named Matthew Edward. RENAUD....Mr. and Mrs. Mike Renaud of Charleston are parents of their first child, a son born Dec. 10 at Southeast Missouri Hospital

Mrs. Cantrell is the former Diane Street, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F.E. Street, 125 Terrace Drive. Cantrell is owner of Cantrell's Cross Roads Real Estate, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Cantrell, Route One.

POLICE ARRESTS

Michael Edwin Sisney, Bertrand, speeding. Ethel Smith, 204 Pyramid Courts, Cairo, III., petit larceny at

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At Cairo the river will rise .5 Wednesday; rise 1.1 Thursday; and rise .6 Friday.

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At Chester the river will rise 1.4 Wednesday; rise .9 Thursday; and rise .6 Friday. At Cape Girardeau the river will rise 1.2 Wednesday; rise 1.4 Thursday and rise 8 Friday. At New Madrid the river will fall

1 Wednesday; rise .5 Thursday; and rise 1.0 Friday. At Caruthersville the river will remain stable Wednesday; fall .1 Thursday; and rise .5 Friday.

Warning issued on firm selling sewing machines

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Officials of the Missouri Department of Consumer Affaris, Regulation and Licensing have warned consumers about an Oklahoma-based firm selling sewing machines.

Alfred C. Sikes, department director, said today that Missourians have reported to his office that International Sewing Machine Distributors of Norman, Okla., has been sending \$200 checks to potential customers, saying it could apply toward a \$300 sewing machine

distributed by the company. To receive the machine, the customer must endorse and return the"gift check" and send it with his or her own check for.

sage, pancakes, orange juice and toast.

as the breakfasts Mrs. Claus makes," Juniperperper said.

At 8 o'clock, the elves took a taxi to the UN building.

greet them.

"We're just about ready to

"Wow, I'm scared," Juniper-

perper said. That makes two of us,"

Jinkersnipes replied. The head of the UN, Dag Whood, called the meeting to which boys and girls got toys at order and began to read the

methods to spy on boys and girls without due process.

for him.

elves whose names begin with tions. the letter J. I cite Jasper, Jinkersnipes. Juniperperper, said to Herr Humbugg, "Did James, John, Julia June, Juanita, Jocular and many many

the bad children were.

provide them with separate said. "Now, last year didn't Seven: He officiates at mar-

riages between boy and girl elves without proper authori-Evel Whone, from the Baad-

lands, stood up and said. "I will prosecute this case.

the North Pole.

Whone. "The defense is offering opinions.

Whood, ruled.

'Now are the defense and prosecution ready to begin? They both nodded.

The prosecution will be first," Dag Whood said. "Call

Juniperperper continued to Evel Whone called, "Will question Herr Humbugg. 'Now, tell me Herr,'



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H instead of a J.'

sand in snow.

bugg replied.

bugg replied.

asked.

Whone

question the witness."

did spy on boys and girls?"

Juniperperper jumped up,

'Objection sustained," ruled

'How did Santa check on boys and girls?" Evel Whone

'He looked at them through

And how did he determine

his superscopes," Herr Hum-

Christmas?" Evel Whone

'He decided," Herr Hum-

Did he consult with anyone

else, or did he have any type of

good or bad?" asked Evel

'No." Herr Humbugg said.

No more questions," Evel

He walked to the stand and

vou put salt in lollipops, sugar

in lemon tarts, tea in coffee

Well, I, ah, ah, well I." Herr

'Please answer yes or no.

'Yes, but that was when I

'Santa doesn't employ elves

'Ah, well, I, ves," Herr

Evel Whone stood up shout

ing, "I object. I object. The on

ly way Santa would know that

Herr Humbugg said bad words

would be by using illegal spy

he must know which boys and

girls are good and bad. How

else would he be able to tel

who deserves toys at Christmas

'Objection overruled." Day

and who deserves coal or potate

Whood said. "Certainly we al

must realize that only through

the superscopes can Santa

peels. Santa has to check.

"Your honor," Juniper-

was younger." Herr Humbugg

and sand in snow?

Juniperperper said.

you use 21 bad words?

Humbugg replied.

ing equipment.

Humbugg said.

replied.

'Objection, he is leading the

Dag Whood. "Rephrase the

"I object, I object," Juniper-

perper said. "He wasn't hired

because he was a bad elf who

Early the next morning. Juniperperper and Jinkersnipes arose before dawn to get ready for their first appearance

before the UN. They had a breakfast of sau-

'This is good but not as good

"Certainly not," replied Jinkersnipes. "She is the best

cook in the world."

"Boy, it is big," Jinkersnipes said. "I could get lost in that." U.B. Fruitful and D. Lightful Wynter were at the door to

'Welcome," they said.

The two were led into the General Assembly room.

charges against Santa.

"It is charged," he read, "that Santa Claus did with a foreknowledge commit the fol-

lowing offenses: "One. He used eavesdropping trial to determine who was

"Two. He discriminated against other human beings by only employing elves to work Whone said.

"Three. He continued this discrimination by hiring only said, "Well I have some ques-

"Four: He employed these elves and refused to pay them and kept them in bondage against their will.

'Five: He obstructed justice by determining without due was in the Magic Forest and I process who the good and who

"Six: He made the elves live in dormitories and failed to who were bad," Juniperperper

Juniperperper also stood and

said, "I will defend Santa against these terrible and un- perper replied. "Santa is extrue charges. We're happy at 'Objection," said Evel

'Objections sustained," Dag

check on boys and girls. your first witness.

seated he was asked, "Did you you volunteer to change your Juniperperper walked back beat him to his own game." apply for employment at the name to Jerr Junebug because to the defense table and Jinkyou thought that Santa only employed elves whose names "I did and Santa wouldn't hire me," he replied. "Just be- begin with the letter J?"

"Ah, well, yes?" Herr Humcause my name began with an bugg replied. But tell me one person at

the North Pole whose name doesn't begin with J?" Juniperperper laughed and

put salt in lollipops, sugar in said, "Sure, Santa Claus and Mrs. Santa Claus, and Sunny lemon tarts, tea in coffee and Sunfish, at the Lunch Whistle 'Overruled," Dag Whood Bird and Malox the mailman. "Ah, well," Herr Humbugg said. "You'll have your turn to

"No more questions," Juni-Evel Whone continued, "Do you know as a fact that Santa perperper said. "But I reserve

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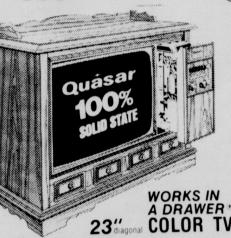
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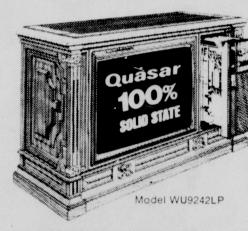
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called in the state by the system, including the circuit, appellate and supreme courts. A small claims court could also be established by the Supreme Court, if deemed necessary.

Associate circuit judges — the number determined by the case load - would replace magistrate and some municipal judges. Present magistrate judges could seek election to the associate judge positions, provided they have not reached the mandatory retirement age

Circuit judges would have administrative control of the circuits, assigning case workloads as they deem necessary.

Circuit clerks would be appointed by the circuit judge, rather than being elected. The number of clerks would depend on the number necessary to keep the court functioning smoothly.

Municipal courts would be eliminated in cities with less

than 5,000 population. Cities of more than 5,000 could establish courts, if the residents voted to

The proposal would require that municipal court judges be lawyers and remain under the

supervision of circuit judges. The strongest objections to the proposal were aimed at the mandatory retirement age.

One judge told the group he felt it was unfair to force experienced judges off the courts after serving for 30 or 40 years. However, two attorneys who

helped draft the proposal said the retirement age was put in because of demands by urban lawyers who say many older judges are not doing their jobs because of their age.

A petition circulation drive is getting under way with the aim of obtaining the 112,000 signatures needed to get the proposed amendment on the



Birthdays celebrated

Cagle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Cagle of Morehouse, and Aaron Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs.

MOREHOUSE - Terra Leigh Michael Larrants of Canalou, recently jointly celebrated their first birthday at a party in the Cagle home.

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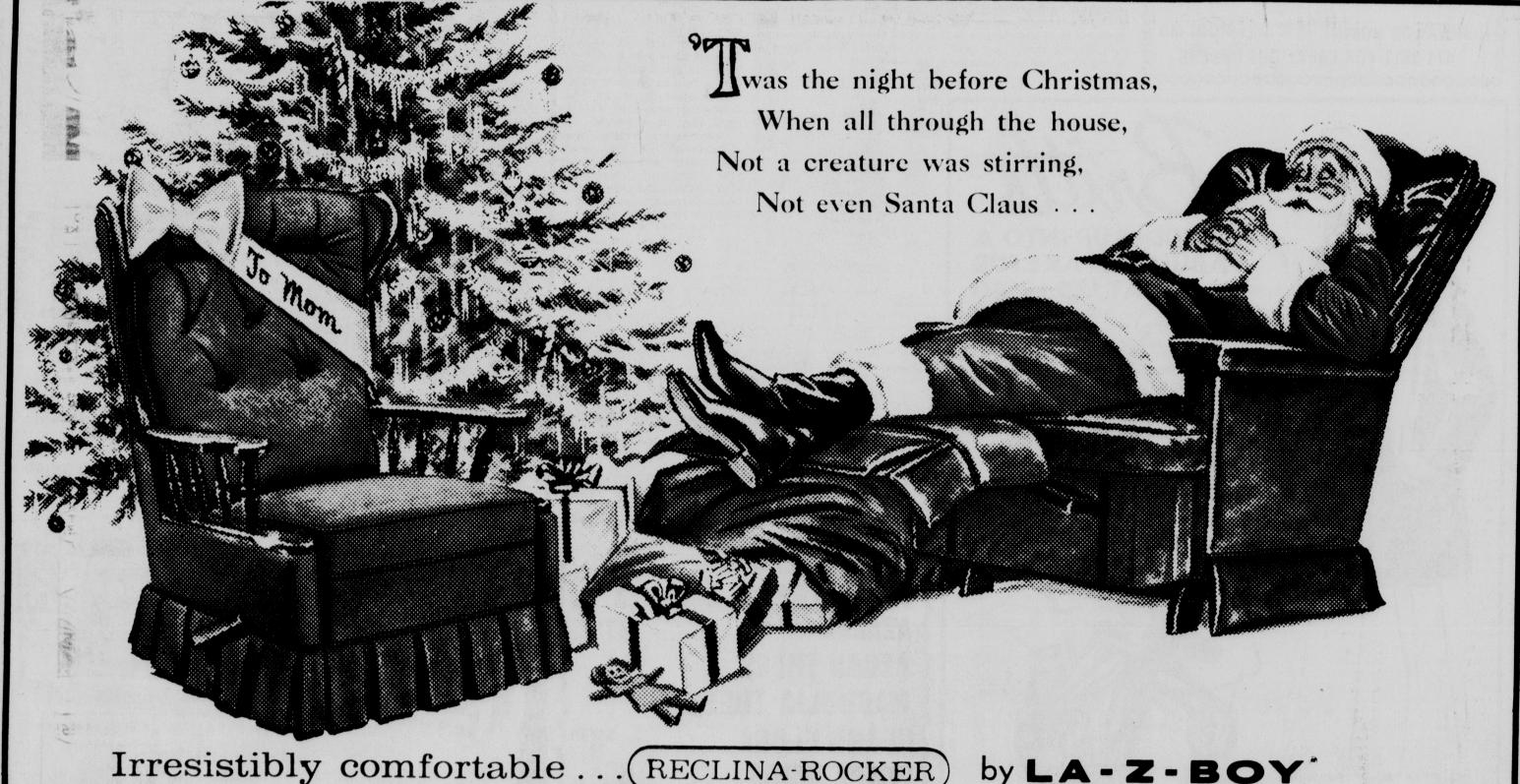
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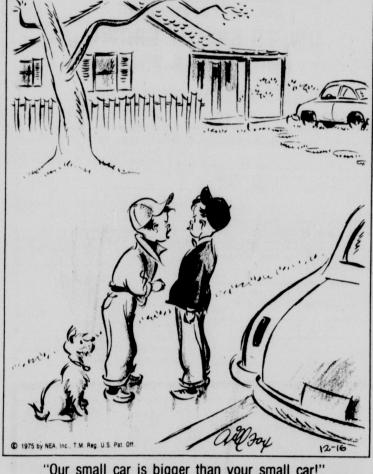
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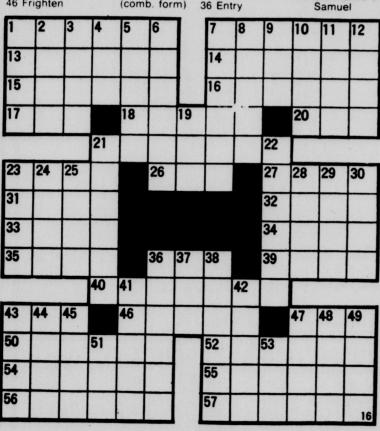
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Today in U.S. history

By The Associated Press Today is Tuesday, Dec. 16, the 350th day of 1975. There are 15 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1773, American colonists disguised as Indians boarded a British ship in Boston harbor and dumped 342 chests of tea overboard. The tax protest went down in history as the "Boston Tea Par-

On this date: In 1770, the German composer Ludwig Van Beethoven was born.

In 1809, Napoleon Bonaparte was divorced from the Empress Josephine by an act of the French parliament.

In 1835, a fire in New York City burned some 600 buildings. In 1916, Gregtry brasputin, the monk wo wielded powerful influence over the Russian Czar, was murdered.

In 1944, the World War II Battle of the Bulge was being fought in Belgium.

In 1960, two airliners crashed after colliding over New York harbor and 131 persons were

Ten years ago: Seven workers were killed in the collapse of 1,600 tons of wet concrete at a railroad overpass construction site in Montreal

Five years ago: Bloody riots over price increases broke out in Poland and many were killed when police opened fire.

One year ago: President Ford and French President Valery Giscard D'Estaing reached a compromise agreement on coordinating energy

Today's birthdays: Auto executive James Roche is 69 years old. Television producer and director George Schaeffer

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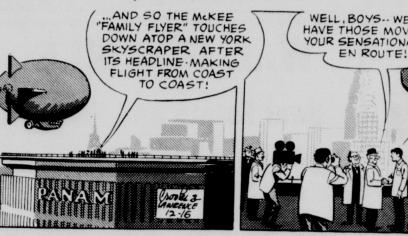


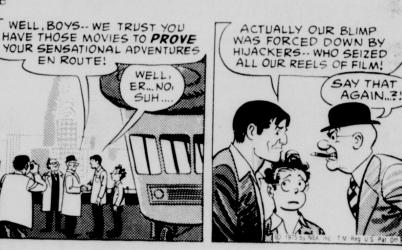
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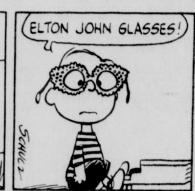


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NOTICE OF LETTERS
TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
(Sec. 473.033, RSMo.
as amended 1969.)

STATE OF MISSOURI SS.) COUNTY OF SCOTT IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI

deceased.) Estate No. 4575

To all persons interested in the estate of J. R. Harwell, decedent:
On the 21st day of November, 1975, the last Will of J. R. Harwell was admitted to probate and Lila H. Harwell was

appointed the executrix of the estate of J. R. Harwell decedent. by the probate court of Scott, County, Missouri, on the 21st day of November, 1975. The business address of the executrix is 214 Powers, Sikeston, Missouri, whose telephone number is 471-0598 and her attorney is David E. Blanton of Blanton, Blanton, Rice and Sickal whose business address is 219 S. Kingshighway, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred. All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests - Date of first publication is

November 25th, 1975. (SEAL) Almaretta Huber

Clerk Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri
To be published in the Daily Sikeston Standard 231,237,243,249

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
TO SELL LIQUOR OR BEER
AT RETAIL
In pursuant of the provisions of
Ordinance No. 2031 of the City of
Sikeston, public notice is hereby
given that the following named
individuals have filed application in the Office of the City Clerk for license to sell intoxicating liquor or beer at retail as indicated at the location in said City herein after set after their respective names to Mary Lou Jimmerson

5 per cent Beer Consumption These applications will be considered at the next meeting of City Hall in the City of Sikeston, Missouri. Any person or persons who may have lawful objections to the issuance of licenses to the above named individuals for the operation of the establishment named, or the location indicated, may file their objections with the

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Ordinance No. 2031 of the City of Sikeston , public notice is hereby given that the following named individuals have filed application in the Office of the City Clerk for license to sell intoxicating liquor or beer at retail as indicated at the location in said City herein after set after their respective name to wit:

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Lynn Lancaster City Clerk

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I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by anyone other than myself as of this date, December 16, 1975. Jimmy R. Farmer RR No. 2 Sikeston, Mo. 249, 250, 251

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION (Sec. 473.587, RSMo.) STATE OF MISSOURI,

COUNTY OF SCOTT IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI In the estate of

Harry C. Blanton a-k-a H.C. Blanton, deceased.

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Harry C. Blanton a-k-a H. C. Blanton, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who

are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 8th day of January, 1976 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or executions to any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement Lewis M. Blanton

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FARM EQUIPMENT **AUCTION**

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SPECIAL

One farmer has consigned his equipment to this auction to be sold at 1:30 P.M.

1-1967 Mod. 4020 D. 1-1971 Mod. 4020 D.

1-All Gleaner w-cab 1-J.D. Grain Drill 1-8 ft. Rino Blade 1-6 yd. Dirt Scoop

1-Glenco 4 row Cultivator 1-Birch 4 row Cultivator

1-A.C. 4 row planter 1-Amco 12 ft. Disk 1-J.D. 10 ft. Disk

2-200 Bu. Grain Wagons TERMS. CASH DAY OF SALE.

SALE TIME: EQUIPMENT AT 9:30 A.M., TRACTORS AP-PROXIMATELY AT 2:00 P.M. **OWNERS AND OPERATORS**

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1--Case 1030 Comfort King

diesel tractor w-duals, 3 pt. hitch, live PTO, wide front end, late series 1--Case 800 diesel tractor w-3 pt. hitch. Live PTO

DISC & PLOWS 1-Case 11 ft. wheel disc. 3--Case Hyd. cylinders 1-Case 3 pt. 13 tine chisel plow with gauge wheels

1-Noble 15 ft. harrow 1--Oliver 13 hole grain drill 1-Case 19 ft. wheel wing type disc with spray bar 1-Krause "Model 980A" hyde. wing 31 ft. wheel disc, like new

1-Cable winch complete with gear box 3 pt.hitch mounting, and PTO drive 1--Bush hog trailer type rotary

cutter 1--John Deere bottom disc plow CULTIVATORS

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1--Keller 6 row rolling cultivator w-stabalizer colters 1-Case 6 row spring shank cultivator

2--6 row Lilliston rolling cutlivators 1-John Deere field cultivator -15 ft.

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tilizer attachments. OTHER EQUIPMENT 1-Elevator A1. 7 in by 20 ft.,

D-6 tractor with adaptor for wheel tractor 1--Large reduction type chain hoist

1-gear box and belt pulley for

1--P & H electric welder 1-Electric 71/2 hp. motor with 7 grove V belt pulley & switch

1--Electric 20 hp. motor with magnetic starter & switch box 1--Electric 20 hp. motor with magnetic starter & switch box 1--Set of 2 Clark 110 gal. spray tanks with rack pump, gauges, 1-1000 gal water tank

1--250 gal water tank 11/2 Cases of Lorox 1--Trailer type Adams grader with tilt wheels 1--Mayroth 8 in. 56 ft. grain

1-4 wheel trailer w-flaire side augar PTO 1--Mayroth 6 in. 34 ft. grain augar with electric 3 hp. motor 24 ft. Al. extension ladder.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1975 10:00 AM

THIS IS AN OPEN SALE. Parker Brothers are selling lots of equipment in this sale because of some changes in their farming operations. Some other farmers in this area have consigned good equipment in this sale. The following is a partial listing that you will find in this sale.

The following equipment all belongs to Mr. Nelson Gruen. He has quit farming and is selling all his equipment at this sale

1--John Deere 3020 Gas tractor bought new in 1970 -1--1953 Farmall Super M

tractor 1-1952 Farmall M Tractor 1--1966 John Deere 55 combine with cab- clean, auto-

matic header, Hyd. reel, chopper 1--John Deere 234 corn header

1--IHC 114 cotton picker on M

Farmall tractor 1-1963 Chev. 2 ton truck grain bed 1-1959 Chev. 2 ton truck grain bed

1-John Deere 18 hole grain drill 1-IHC 37 wheel'disc 11 ft. 1-IHC 37 wheel disc 13 ft. 1-John Deere 5 14" Semi

-- IHC No. 60 Plow 1-John Deere 493 planter 1--John Deere 4 row RG4

1-Yetter 51 Rotary cutter 1--Trailer type sprayer 4 row spray boom 1--Rainmaster Irrigation

22--Pieces of 30 ft. gated irrigation pipe 6 pieces 30 ft. Solid Pipe 1-A.C. Pull type chisel plow 1--John Deere trailer

cotton bed 1-4 wheel trailer w bed 1-Clipper seed cleaner

1-3 pt. 6 ft. blade 1-IHC spring tooth harrow Other small items

TRACTORS 2--1974 IHC 966 diesel tractors all extras - clean 1--1972 IHC 1466 tractor duals - all extras 1-John Deere 4020 diesel tracor-clean 1-1967 John Deere 4020 tractor

power shift r ctires 1-1850 Oliver tractor - 1968 model w duals TRUCKS TRAILERS 1--1965 IHC 2 ton tamden truck

20 ft. grain bed 1-1965 Ford truck - tamden 16 ft. grain bed 1-1963 Chev. 2 ton all steel dump bed truck 1-1949 G.M.C. 2 ton truck grain bed 1-1949 G.M.C. 2 ton truck

grain bed 2-M .. W red wagon gravity flow grain trailer beds 16--24 ft. K.B.H. IHC steel bed trailers 1-4 wheel trailer grain bed

like new COMBINES 1-John Deere 7700 Combine

with cab - floating cutter bar, pick up reel. Sharp and clean. One owner and one man 1--1967 C11 Gleaner combine 5

1--1966 503 IHC combine- cab.

straw chopper rasp bar 1--G Gleaner combine - cabpickup reel - love bar real good 1--1965 M.F. 510 combine w cab 14 ft. header new motor-combine rebuilt 1-1963 John Deere 95 combine cab 14 ft. header - good

COTTON PICKERS 1-1966 John Deere cotton

SIKESTON, MO.

1-1964 IHC cotton picker 1--John Deere 299 gas cotton picker

1--John Deere 299 LP cotton picker 1--IHC 1968 416 cotton picker OTHER EQUIPMENT 1-Ford 4 row cultivator

1--John Deere 14 ft. field cultivator 2-4 row rear mount John Deere cultivators

1--Noble 21 ft. field cultivator (like new) 1--IHC 4 row cultivator 1--IHC 4 row cultivator spray fenders

2-6 row RG6 rear mount cultivators 1--Lilliston 6 row rolling cultivator w rotary attachments 2--RM6 wide bar late style

John Deere cultivators 1--rear mount 6 row No. 163 wide bar IHC cultivator 1-4 row John Deere planter 446-447 1--John Deere 51 unit planter

herbicide boxes, pre merge, fold up Hyd. marker 1-6 row IHC planter on 326 bar 1-6 row pull type planter John Deere 684

2--14 ft. brillion rollers 1-New Idea E Z fow 1--John Deere 4 row listers 1-19 ft. John Deere wing disc 1--31 ft. Midland disc - Hyd. fold up

1-4 row side winder 1-4 row John Deere roto hoe 1--12 ft. spring tooth harrow 1-35 ft. grain . . Hay elevator 1--300 gal. Broyhill spray rig boom

2--110 gal. saddle tanks racks 1-4 row do-all 1-7 ft. Grahm plow 1-6 row fold up W . . A do-all 1-6 row W . . A Hippers 1--6 row 51 units tool bar - John Deere 4x7

2--110 gal. saddle tanks racks 1--8 row Forrest City fold up do-all - reall good 1--8 row Forrest City fold up Hippers w Hyd. markers 1--Reynolds dirt scoop 8--sets 6 row rolling cultivator fenders

1-Eversman land plane 2--Anhydrous rigs 1-IHC 18 hole drill 1--6 row W. . A do-all 1-6 row crop maker 1--Hahn High boy- all attachments 1--15 ft. John Deere culti packer (like new) 4--sets of 6 row rolling cultivator fenders 1--John Deere 12 ft. Cultimulcher 1-6 row oiling bar 1--Water tank, trailer, .. pump 7-6 row Forrest City do-all

3--sets 18.4 x 34 dual wheels 1-6 bottom 3 pt. rear mount Case busters 4--Metal hog feeders -- real good

1--John Deere trailer w bale bed 1--IHC 5 bottom buster 1-IHC 5 bottom plow

1--John Deere 684 planter wfurrow openers - shoes -cotton 1-M.F. rotary cutter

1--Double Barrel 12 gauge shot gun with hammers 1--1897 model 12 gauge full choke pump gun 1--Cast Iron Dinner Bell

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TERMS:CASH DAY OF SALE UNKNOWN BUYERS BRING

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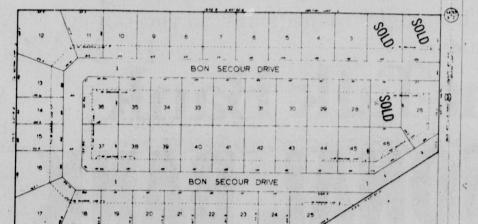
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Deaths

Margaret E. McClung

Margaret Elizabeth McClung, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor McClung, 510 W. Murray Lane, died at 7:25 p.m. Monday at Missouri Delta Community Hospital, where she was born at 7:26 a.m. Sunday.

In addition to her parents, survivors include maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Bruenderman of Charleston; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James D. McClung of Sikeston; maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Laura Belle Wallace of Charleston; maternal greatgrandfather, Ben Bruenderman of Charleston.

Prayer servicers are scheduled at 1 p.m. Thursday in Nunnelee Funeral Chapel with the Revs. Robert Schumacher, pastor of St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church, and Grady Etheridge, pastor of Miner Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will follow in Garden of Memories Cemetery.

Gladys Edmonds

CHAFFEE - Mrs. Gladys Evelyn Edmonds, 62, died at 3:30 a.m. today in Southeast Missouri Hospital at Cape Girardeau, where she had been a patient since Dec. 10.

She was born June 6, 1913 at Tiptonville, Tenn., to the late Ed and Jessie Boals.

On June 23, 1934, she married Clyde H. Edmonds of Commerce, who died Oct. 14, 1950. A resident of Chaffee since

1965, she was a member of First Baptist Church at Scott City. Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Jean Spradling. Mrs. John Walker and Mrs. Bill Eaker of Chaffee; two brothers, James Boals of Effingham, Ill., and Edgar Boals of Decatur, Ill.; two sisters, Mrs. Maxine Dodson of Sikeston and Mrs. Wanda Ketcherside of St. Louis:

and weight grandchildren. Friends may call at Amick-Burnett Funeral Chapel, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Wednesday. The Rev. Frank Bain, pastor of Iona Baptist Church in Oriole, officiating. Burial will be in Oakdale

Hanable Sweet

Cemetery at Commerce.

Hanable Sweet, 85, of Route Two, a retired farmer, died at 5:45 p.m. Monday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital

following an extended illness. County, Ky., son of the late Mr. Saturday, were Elmer Koenig, and Mrs. Ike Sweet, he lived in Clyde Curtis, Fred and Buddy moving to Route Two one year Burton.

He was a member of First Baptist Church at Bertrand. On Feb. 7, 1957, he married Azilee Cannon Fears, who

Other survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Louis Heckert and Mrs. Donald Lynn of Bertrand, Mrs. Garland Grooms of Festus and Mrs. Amos Pulliam of St. Louis; three sons, Roy Sweet of Sieberling, Fla., and Tom and Edward Sweet of Bertrand; six stepdaughters, Mrs. Gene Sweet of Charleston, Bonnie Fears of East St. Louis. Ill., Mrs. Ray Webb of Bertrand, Mrs. Frank Cohen of Dogwood, Mrs. Kenneth Hulsey of Barnes Ridge and Mrs. Richard Webb of Lynn T. Monk Germany; two stepsons, Harry Barnes of Miner and Buddy Fears of Michigan; and 22 grandchildren, 11 stepgrandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren and two great-greatgrandchildren.

Friends may call after 6 p.m. today at Shelby Funeral Home in Charleston, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thurpastor of Firsts Baptist Church in Bertrand, will officiate.

Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery at Sikeston.

Bell Higdon

FAIRDEALING - Mrs. Bell C. Higdon, 73, formerly of Sikeston, died at 8:28 p.m. Friday of an apparent heart attack.

She was born in Greenville. Tenn

Survivors include her widower, Clay Higdon; three daughters, Kathryn and Willie Higdon of Sikeston and Ann Higdon of Naylor; five sons. Cecil, Franklin, Jerry, Melvin and Eric Higdon of Naylor; two sisters, Mrs. Ivy Roy of Doniphan and Mrs. Arkie Potten of Greenville, Miss.; and two brothers, Opie Hogan of Clarkton and Paul Hogan of Manteca, Calif.

Services were conducted Sunday at Parrentt Funeral Home in Naylor by the Rev. Don Russell of Blodgett.

Burial was in Naylor Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Willard and Jessie Roy, Sam Lane, Carroll and Ron Wiley and Hobert

Robert Lane

Pallbearers at services Monday for Robert Freeman Bertrand 35 years prior to Groves, Elmer Seyer, Robert

James Craft

41, died Friday in St. Louis.

survives, of Dexter.

He was married to Juanita Mendoza Craft, who survives.

Services were held at 1:30 p.m. today in Rainey Funeral Home, with the Rev. James E. Glover officiating Burial followed in Sadler's

Hospital at Hayti.

He was born Sept. 8, 1902 in Carrollton, Miss., to the late James Monroe and Nancy

sday. The Rev. Lee Fansler, Lela Marie Wood, who survives. Also surviving is one sister. Emma Gill of Oklahoma City,

Friends may call at Bradshaw Funeral Home in Gideon, where services are scheduled at 2 p p.m. Wednesday. The Rev. Ellis Ashworth will officiate

Burial will follow in Stanfield

Robert L. Jones

PORTAGEVILLE - Robert L. Jones, about 69, a retired farmer, died Saturday in Lakeland, Fla.

He is survived by his widow, Rosetia Jones.

Friends may call at Ponder Funeral Home in Lilbourn, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Wednesday. The Rev. Sidney Razor of Bell City will officiate.

Burial will follow in Por-

for 40 years, died at 5:25 p.m. Nursing Home in Malden.

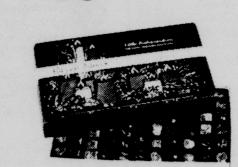
She was a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church and the altar



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Stropt of Malden and Mrs. Loretta Petry of Ste. Genevieve; two sons, Marcellus Oberste of

Ark.; and four grandchildren.

Rosary services were held at 8

p.m . Monday at Landess

Funeral Home and services

were held at 10 a.m. today in St.

Ann's Caholic Church. The Rev.

Burial was in Memorial Park

Mary Boyd

BROWNWOOD - Mary A.

Boyd, 91, died Sunday at Chaffee

She was born Aug. 15, 1884 in

On June 1, 1902 she married

John E. Skinner, who preceded

in death in 1963. She later

married Frank Boyd, who also

She was a member of

Survivors include two gran-

dsons, Billy Skinner of Kennett

and Dale Skinner of St. Louis;

one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lottie

Skinner of Advance; and seven

great-grandchildren, three step-

grandchildren, 13 step-great-

grandchildren and five step-

great-great-grandchildren.

Brownwood General Baptist

Frowin Brownfield officiated.

Cemetery.

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Church.

General Hospital.

preceded in death.

ST. LOUIS - James C. Craft, He was born Sept. 8, 1934 to Mr. and Mrs. Reben Craft, who

Other survivors include one son, Keith Craft of St. Louis; four daughters, Brenda Mason and Reba, Jamie and Pamela Caft of St. Louis; one brother. DeWayne Craft of Arnold; and two sisters, Bonnie Parsons and

Vera Baker of Dexter.

Chapel Cemetery near Dexter.

CLARKTON - Lynn Thomas Monk, 73, a retired construction worker, died Sunday in Pemiscot County Memorial

Isabelle Wilson Monk.

On Aug. 23, 1924, he married

Cemetery.

tageville Cemetery.

Agnes Oberste

MALDEN - Agnes Marie Oberste, 90, a resident of Malden Saturday at Ridgeview Manor

She was born Oct. 15, 1885 in Spielerville, Ark. to Steven and Pauline Beska Smreker.

On Nov. 17, 1908 she married William M. Oberste in Subiaco, Ark., who preceded in death Jan. 18, 1975.

society of the church

Survivors include four daughters, Margaret and Philomene Oberste and Alvina

Services were held at 2 p.m. today in Morgan Funeral Home at Advance with the Rev. Fair Oaks, Calif. and Jerome Eugene Payne, pastor of Brownwood General Baptist Oberste of Malden; one sister, Mrs. Will Spanke of Little Rock, Church, officiating. Burial followed in Morgan

Memorial Park Cemetery at

Dexter man dies

of cycle injuries

DEXTER - Lenn Ray Ellis.

23, died Monday at Veterans

Administration Hospital in

Memphis, Tenn. of injuries

received in a motorcycle ac-

father and stepmother, Mr. and

Mrs. Glenn Ellis of Dexter;

August.

Force.

Moline, Ill.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Malden.

Friends may call after 10 a.m. Wednesday at Bradshaw Funeral Home in Malden where services will be held lat 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. John Adams officiating.

Burial will follow in Sadler's Chapel Cemetery near Dexter.

Man found dead

MOREHOUSE - The body of James Thurman Stanberry, 64, was discovered at his home about 8:30 p.m. Monday by a niece, Mrs. Mildred Stroud.

cident, which occurred in According to New Madrid County Deputy Sheriff Willis He was born Jan. 6, 1952 in "Bo" Wingo, the cause of death was an apparent heart attack. He was a veteran of the Air Wingo said Stanberry had apparently been dead between 12 Survivors include his widow. and 24 hours. Sally Bowles Ellis of Dexter; his

He was born Sept. 20, 1911 in Kentucky.

His wife, Kathleen Stanberry, died Oct. 31.

mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tickle of Hemmett, Surviving are two sons, Army Calif.; one daughter, Trina Lee Master Sgt. Herbert Stanberry, Ellis of Dexter; two brothers, who is stationed in Greece, and James Stanberry of Bountiful, David Lefter · Ellis of Moline, Ill. and Roger Ellis of Whiteman Utah; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Air Force Base in Sedalia; one Louis A. Schebaum of O'Fallon; sister, Mrs. Debbie Henderson two sisters, Mrs. Susie Stroud of of Dexter; his paternal gran-Sikeston and Mrs. Edith Stalley dmother, Mrs. Dorothy Hankins of Stockton, Calif.; and three of Moline, Ill. and step grandgrandchildren, two stepgrandchildren and four great- stepgrandchildren.

The body is at Watkins & Sons Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Wednesday. The Rev. A. C. Sullivant, pastor of the Diehlstadt Baptist Church, will officiate.

Burial will be in Essex Cemetery.

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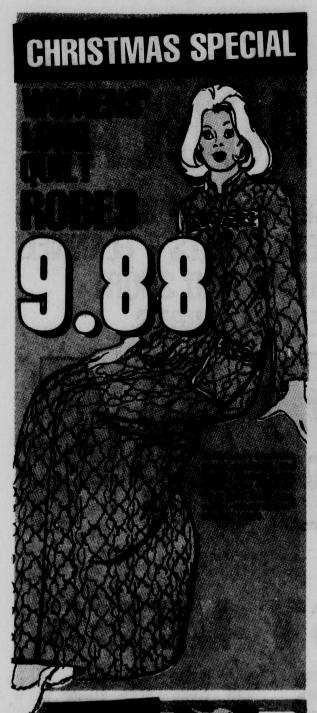
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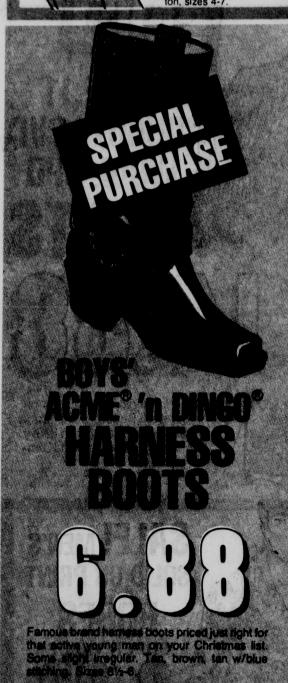
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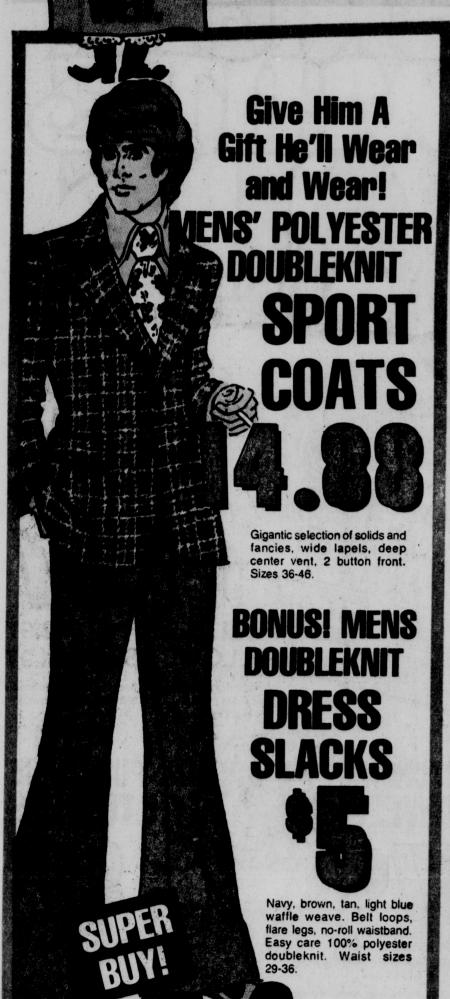


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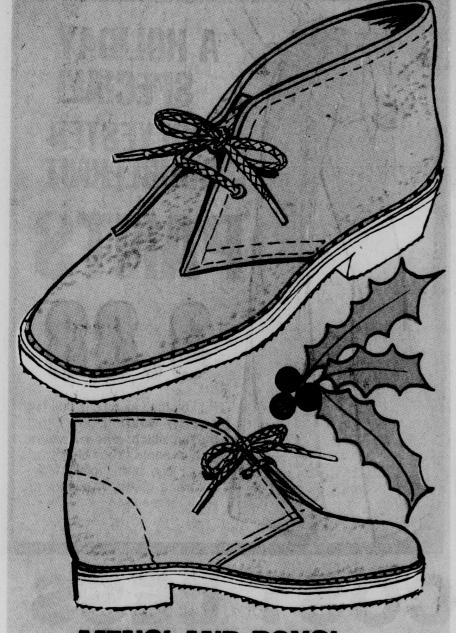




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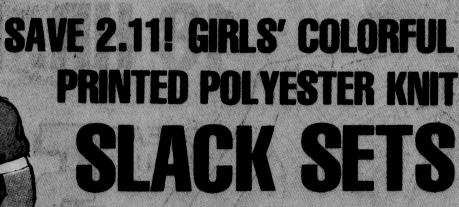
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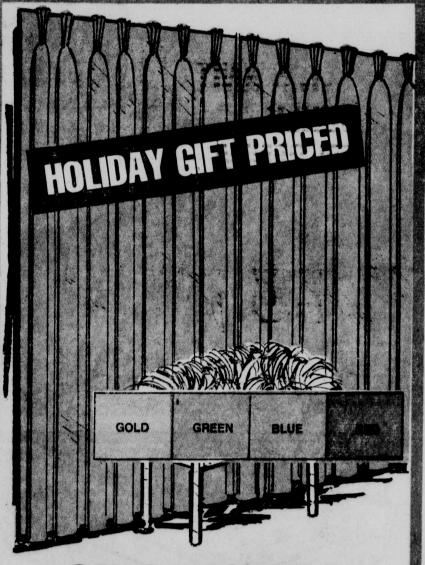
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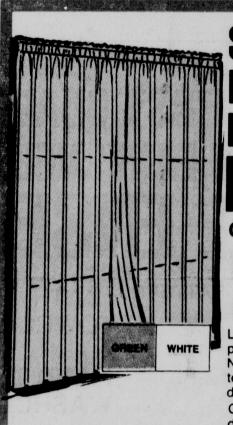


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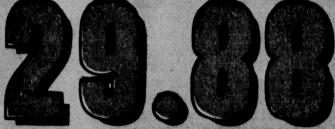
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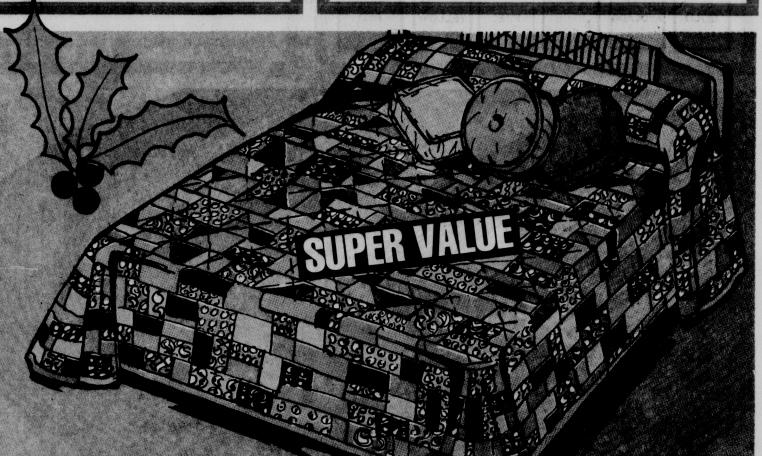
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